

PRESENT COURT MARTIAL SYSTEM IS EFFICIENT

Has Produced Best Disciplined Army in France

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The system of military jurisprudence is designed to produce an efficient, dependable fighting army, not to exact justice to individual soldiers, according to views presented today to the committee of the American Bar association by army officers of field experience, including Major General Edward F. Glenn, organizer and commander of the 83rd division and now in command at Camp Sherman. The officers contended the present machinery for enforcing military discipline had proved efficient and fair, the final product of the system closely approximating justice of the individual in addition to producing what General Glenn described as the best disciplined army in France.

Fairness General Rule. Cases of court-martial sentences so excessive in the penalty awarded as to be ridiculous were freely admitted. Such sentences only served, General Glenn insisted, to prove that even in the early stage of the military legal proceedings the action of the courts in no case being final, that fairness was the general rule.

Judge Gregory, chairman of the committee, and General Glenn engaged in considerable argument which brought out that the officer speaking from both his military experience and his special training in civil law as a graduate of the law school of the University of Minnesota saw little in common between the purposes of civil justice and its military equivalent. Major Charles H. McDonald, General Glenn's divisional judge advocate, at Camp Sherman, but who is a temporary officer and before the war was counsel of the Federal Trade Commission, followed his chief and expressed the same views.

"You are not looking for exact justice," Major MacDonald declared, "when you are building an army of the size the United States was building. Suppose men did get sentences of 20 years, or 40 years. The dishonorable discharge, the disciplinary barracks, probably to be restored to service if they were worthy of restoration. It was the lesson involved."

"When exact justice interferes with the building up of the army, exact justice must be sacrificed. Room for improvement."

"There is, of course," Major MacDonald added, "some room for improvement. There always is in any system of law or taxation; but the present army justice system is a very efficient machine. We have felt that we could attend to the question of exact justice after the war."

The officer submitted a record of 174 general court cases tried at Camp Sherman. He called attention to one sentence of 25 years imposed on a man who refused to obey a lawful order from an officer. On the face of the record, he said, the sentence seemed excessive; but that it was justified by facts and an reviewing judge advised that he had regretted only the prison term had been longer. Explaining the case, he said the soldier had been ordered to work at the base hospital on a Saturday during the influenza epidemic and had refused on account of religious scruples, alleging he was a member of the faith that set that day aside for worship. On that particular Saturday, the officer said, there had been 10 deaths at the hospital and there were hundreds of very sick men to be cared for.

Both General Glenn and Major MacDonald insisted that the circumstances of any case must be fully known before it could be determined that the sentence was excessive. Both opposed suggestions that radical changes in court-martial procedure was necessary, that any large infusion of men trained in civil law into the military establishment was necessary. Every accused man was surrounded with checks to safeguard his rights, they asserted.

The opposing views held in the service, will be available to the committee next Monday when Lieut. Col. Samuel A. Ansell, former judge advocate general, will be in the city to discuss the leading figure in the criticism that has been directed against the court martial system, will appear. He will be followed by Col. John Wignmore, also of the judge advocate general's department, but a lawyer in civil life in the army only for the war period.

PRaise Work OF GREEK TROOPS

Saloniki, April 14.—A large number of German officers and soldiers captured in southern Russia by the allied armies have been brought to Saloniki. They express admiration for the heroism with which the Greek troops fought against the Bolsheviks, whom they term brutes and who they declare, without any excuse whatsoever, committed terrible atrocities.

Several Seamen Drown When Naval Tug Sinks

NEW YORK, April 17.—Several seamen were drowned today when the propeller of the transport Saxonville, off the stern of the naval tug Freehold while the smaller vessel was docking the troop ship at a Cunard pier. The number of dead is not known; for while the tug carried a crew of twentythree and only fourteen were rescued, short leave had been granted a number of the sailors.

The sinking of the tug was one of the most dramatic marine accidents which has ever occurred here. The cheers which a moment before had been echoing back and forth from transport to dock, were suddenly hushed as from the stern of the great vessel came the sound of rending steel and wood.

The Saxonville's decks, crowded to the rail with returning troops, were the scene of greatest confusion, which lasted, however, but for an instant. Then quick thinking fighting men put their thought into action. Ropes were thrown over board and five seamen pulled from the Hudson.

Meanwhile the naval tug Crawford, also engaged in warping the Saxonville in her dock, went to the rescue and saved three more lives. Police, working from the pier, rescued another three and a row boat hastily put out from the shore, brought the total of those saved to fourteen.

The Freehold was less than three minutes in sinking. According to witnesses, it was shortly before 4:30 when the tug pulling the vessel's stern around, received its death blow.

Witnesses said that the commander of the Saxonville evidently intended to aid the tug by giving the larger craft a "kick ahead." The quick rush of water, however, sucked the tug in under the stern and the Saxonville's thirty-ton propeller blade descended like a knife on the stern of the smaller vessel.

Those on the dock had hardly time to run to the pier-head before the tug's stack disappeared beneath the waters of the Hudson. Only the tips of her masts remained above the surface.

FUTURE OF U. S. DEPENDS ON INLAND WATERWAYS

St. Louis, April 17.—The future greatness of the United States depends on the coordination of inland waterways, the railroads and merchant marine, according to speakers who today addressed delegates of the Mississippi valley waterways association in annual convention here.

United States Senator Kenneth D. McKellar of Tennessee, declared the Mississippi Valley held the greatest possibilities of development in the country because of the Mississippi and its tributaries.

H. H. Merrick, president of the Chicago association of commerce, bitterly arraigned the business men of the middle west for their alleged failure to take keener interest in deep waterways development and declared the Mississippi Valley has failed to live up to its promise of production, more so than any other section of the country.

"Mexico should be brought into proper relations with the United States so that we can trade with her," declared the speaker.

NEVER "LISTENED IN" ON PRESIDENT

CHICAGO, April 17.—Miss Maris Flood, President Wilson's telephone operator who never "listened in" on his conversations during the peace conference is at her home here today. She wears the uniform of the signal corps and the insignia of the peace conference.

"Honestly, I never listened in to the president's conversations," she said. "He is awfully nice. What am I going to do? Fish with my mother over in Wisconsin until I've had lots of rest. Then in the fall I'm going to a New York school of applied arts, learn drawing and become a dress designer."

TO MANY SOLDIERS TAKING JOBS IN NEW YORK

New York, April 17.—Too many "out-of-town soldiers" returning from France are remaining in New York to accept places of employment held by New York men still in military and naval service, in the opinion of the employment bureau of the 77th division.

Because of the employment situation here, it was announced the 77th advance contingent, which arrived home some weeks ago, had adopted the slogan "New York jobs for New York soldiers."

DOWNED HEADS WOODMAN OF WORLD

Rockford, Ill., April 17.—Frank C. Downs of Rock Island, was elected head consul, and Evan J. Morris of Chicago, junior best head consul of the Woodman of the World at the biennial state convention today. William C. Mooney, Chicago and Rev. C. R. Dunlap, Cairo, were chosen delegates to the sovereign camp at Philadelphia, July 15.

GERMANY WILL BE GIVEN TIME TO STUDY TREATY

Procedure of Arrival of Delegates Decided Upon

PARIS, April 17.—By the Associated Press.—The procedure of the arrival of the German plenipotentiaries at Versailles has virtually been decided upon. It will be President Wilson and the plenipotentiaries will hold the first meeting and deliver the treaty, as it is not deemed feasible to have all the allied powers attend this initial session.

The actual arrival of the Germans at Versailles, it is stated, is scheduled for Friday night, April 25, but the meeting with the president and plenipotentiaries will not be held until Saturday and may be deferred until Monday.

After the treaty is actually delivered, it is intended to allow adequate time for the Germans to make inquiries concerning the various details before returning to Weimar. This is expected to take about two days, the first day being devoted by the Germans to familiarizing themselves with the terms, and the second day to answering such queries as they may make.

There is no purpose to have this assume the character of a discussion, but merely the elucidation of any points which may assist in obtaining prompt and favorable action when the plenipotentiaries return to Weimar.

It is believed the stay of the plenipotentiaries at Weimar will cover a week, thus bringing them back to Versailles about May 8 to 10.

Premier Lloyd George's declaration that France had been given full guarantees against renewal of German attacks is the first authoritative statement that such guarantees have been given and arouses the keenest discussion regarding the nature of the guarantees as affecting the United States and Great Britain.

The French reports say that the guarantees amount to an alliance, and the semi-official Temps says: "Premier Lloyd George's language admits of only one meaning. This is that Great Britain and the United States engage to sustain France in case she is again attacked by Germany. Such an alliance is legitimate and necessary. Mr. Lloyd George would not pronounce such words lightly, and his announcement is singularly instructive."

Other French reports describe the guarantees as in the nature of a casus foederis, whereby any failure of Germany to carry out the treaty will bring concerted action by France, Great Britain and the United States.

The council of four, which framed the guarantees as part of the Rhine settlement, has thus far maintained silence, except for the general declaration of Mr. Lloyd George.

Viscount Chinda, of the Japanese delegation, arranged today for his appearance before the council of four on Saturday on the Kiaochow question, with a view to an adjustment with China which shall be incorporated in the peace treaty.

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ISSUE CALL FOR A NATIONAL CONFERENCE

NEW YORK, April 17.—A call for a national conference on lynching to be held here May 5 and 6 to take "concerted action against lynching and lawlessness wherever found," was issued today by John R. Shillady, secretary of the conference, acting on behalf of a group of 120 well known men and women of the country who have signed the document.

The District of Columbia and 28 states, including 20 signers from eight southern states.

The signers' committee, headed by Moorfield Storey of Boston, states that 3,216 lynchings, exclusive of the East St. Louis and other mob riots, have occurred in the United States in the last thirty years. Of this number 702 of the victims were white people, and 2,514 negroes. During 1918, there were 64 negroes and four white persons lynched, according to the committee, which adds that some of the recent lynchings have been particularly atrocious, involving burning at the stake and torture.

ALEXANDER GETS UNIFORM FITTED

Chicago, April 17.—After getting measured for a uniform, Grover Cleveland Alexander, premier pitcher of the National League, left here tonight for his home in St. Paul, Neb., to visit his mother before starting the baseball season. Alexander plans to join the Cubs upon their return from the spring training trip next Tuesday.

Creation Of New Offer Made A Compensation Board Proposed To Avoid Harbor Workers Strike

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 17.—Creation of a workmen's compensation insurance board of three members, appointive by the governor, to administer funds for compensation of workers who suffer injury in the course of their employment, is provided for in a bill introduced today by Representative H. S. Hicks of Rockford.

The measure is patterned after the Ohio law but does not prohibit liability companies from doing business in the state.

Commissioners would be authorized to classify occupations in Illinois as to the degree of hazard and to fix rates of premium based on the pay roll and number of employees in each class.

These rates would be paid by employers. Provision is made for a reserve fund of \$300,000.

Each commissioner would receive \$5,000 a year and necessary traveling expenses. The board is not intended to supersede the present state industrial commission.

Mr. Hicks said he did not introduce the bill at the instance of organized labor. Forces of labor, however, are expected to support the measure.

In the senate today Senator Barr introduced amendments to the existing workmen's compensation act which were said to have been agreed upon by representatives of organized labor and the Illinois Manufacturers' Association.

Legislators left for their homes today. On adjustment at noon until Tuesday. Speaker Shanahan said he hoped it would be possible to have a Friday session next week.

LORD NORTHCLIFFE AND LLOYD-GEORGE AT OUTS

LONDON, April 17.—(By The Associated Press.)—Open warfare between David Lloyd George, British prime minister, and Lord Northcliffe, England's foremost publisher, is to the political world the most interesting result of the premier's flying visit to London from the Paris peace conference and his speech before parliament Wednesday.

Lord Northcliffe and Baron Beaverbrook, who served as the official "eye witness" for the Canadian government at the front in 1916, always have been credited with being the powers behind the scenes who brought about the retirement of Premier Asquith and the succession of Lloyd George to the head of the cabinet.

Northcliffe's newspapers gave Lloyd George general support through his management of the war, but when the general election followed the armistice they shifted somewhat to the attitude of friendly critics. Only during the peace conference have they become sharply critical of Mr. Lloyd George's leadership.

The premier in his speech in the House of Commons credited this fact to the "disease of vanity" and pointedly hinted that it was due to disappointment on Lord Northcliffe's part that he had not been appointed on the peace delegation.

AMERICAN LUMBER CONGRESS IN SESSION

CHICAGO, April 17.—The first American lumber congress today resolved itself into the American forest products institute, a new body intended to bring all branches of the timber and lumber business into close co-operation. Organization will be perfected at a later date.

Other resolutions adopted included an endorsement of deep waterway from the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico, and an expression of confidence "in the patriotic purposes and sincerity" of Director General Hines of the railroads, who addressed the congress yesterday.

John H. Kirby, Houston, Tex., and Dr. Wilson Compton, Chicago, were re-elected president and general secretary, respectively.

WOULD MAKE U. S. SELF SUSTAINING

BOSTON, April 17.—Adoption of a definite national policy of developing the resources of the United States so that the country would become as nearly economically independent of the world as possible was advocated by Secretary Redfield tonight in an address before the executive association of wholesale grocers of New England.

"The United States can never reach full economic independence, because no one nation is given all the blessings of Providence," Mr. Redfield stated, "but we can become far more independent than we are."

Mr. Redfield asserted that much of the legislation of the past had been of a negative rather than affirmative nature, limiting the way things should be done rather than pointing the way for doing—and that most of the appropriations were for the government's political work rather than for practical, constructive undertakings.

NEW YORK, April 17.—A new offer designed to avert the threatened general strike of 16,000 harbor workers, was made by officials of the marine workers' affiliation today at a conference with private boat owners and government officials, arranged by James L. Hughes, federal mediator.

The offer called for an immediate return to work of all union men now on strike under a thirty day temporary agreement, with arbitration of the wages and hour issue before a board of nine, four members to be appointed by the union, four by the owners and one by the eight so appointed.

Under the union's offer the men would work during the arbitration under the wage scale and general working conditions that existed prior to the strike in March, but the length of workday would be fixed by Mayor Hylan, who presided at today's conference.

BULLETINS

SAN FRANCISCO, April 17.—Formal denial that a Korean provisional government had been set up in Seoul was made today by T. Ohta, Japanese consul-general. He stated that Japanese authorities denied the Korean declaration of independence was openly distributed by the provisional government in Seoul.

BOSTON, April 17.—Julius Fischer, an agent of the Hamburg-American steamship line, set fire to a state-room of the transport Patricia on Tuesday night, while the vessel was steaming to this port with nearly 3,000 American soldiers. The fire was extinguished by members of the crew and Fischer was placed in irons.

ARIS, April 17.—By The Associated Press.—The council of five, consisting of the foreign ministers of France, Great Britain and Italy, and President Wilson, met today with the drafting committee and discussed the form of the treaty. The ministers also considered the revision of the Moroccan treaties necessary to eliminate the German interests.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Basis for settlement of the strike of telephone operators and allied workers in New England, which has paralyzed telephone service there since Tuesday, was believed by officials tonight to have been reached.

LONDON, April 17.—(British Wireless Service.)—Premier Lloyd George left London this morning on his return to Paris. He was accompanied by the Earl of Curzon and Viscount Milner.

PARIS, April 17.—Fourteen American and six French soldiers were killed when an express train carrying American troops crashed into a stationary train with French soldiers on furlough near Le Mans today.

Twenty-five Americans and 22 Frenchmen were injured. Le Mans is in the department of the Sarthe, West of Paris.

PARIS, April 17.—(By The Associated Press.)—The chamber of deputies this evening passed a bill establishing an 8-hour day for workmen.

The vote was by a show of hands after the chamber had adopted an amendment offered by former Premier Briand providing that under no circumstances could employers make a reduction in working hours a pretext for a reduction in wages.

PRaises Work OF SALVATION ARMY

NEW YORK, April 17.—Cardinal Gibbons praises the war work of the Salvation Army in a letter made public tonight by former Governor Charles S. Whitman of New York, chairman of the National Committee of the Salvation Army home service fund.

"I rejoice in the splendid service which the Salvation Army rendered our soldiers and sailors during the war," said the cardinal. "Every returning trooper is a willing witness to the efficient and generous work of the Salvation Army, both at the front and in the camps at home. I am also the more happy to commend this because it is free from sectarian bias."

ROBBERS TAKE \$35,000 FROM MESSENGER

Chicago, April 17.—James Dugan, 18 years old, a messenger for the Halsted Street State Bank was robbed of \$35,000 by hold-up men near the bank today. The robbers escaped in an automobile.

MRS. W. A. MURDOCK DEAD. Chicago, April 17.—Mrs. W. A. Murdock, founder and president since its organization 23 years ago, of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Grand International Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, died at her home today. She was born in Clinton, Iowa.

RETURN OF LLOYD GEORGE SPEEDS UP CONFERENCE

Problems of Various Countries Discussed By Delegates

(By The Associated Press.) With the return to Paris of the British prime minister, David Lloyd George, accompanied by the Earl of Curzon and Lord Milner, it is expected that there will be a speeding up of the final preparations, preliminary to the gathering of the representatives of the associated powers with the German delegates at Versailles on April 25.

There was no meeting of the Council of Four at Paris Thursday and President Wilson was thus enabled to take up many matters with various delegations, which may be considered side issues of the coming peace settlement. The problems of many countries, including Ireland, Rumania, Serbia and Portugal, have thus again come under the consideration of the president.

According to the present purpose of the council of the league of nations will be the first subject treated in detail after the declaration of peace. After that matter of the military, naval and aerial terms, reparations, responsibilities and frontiers will be taken in hand.

As it is evident that the question of the possession of Fiume and the Dalmatian coast has not yet been definitely settled, the Italian delegates are working earnestly to secure a decision before the Italian chamber of deputies meets on April 24th. It is the intention of the aeronautical commission of the peace conference to form a permanent international commission on aerial navigation to act as a kind of clearing house on all questions of air navigation between the respective states.

Order Strikers to Work. That the internal political and labor troubles in Germany are to be permitted to encroach upon the occupied zone anywhere is indicated by an order of the commander in chief of the Rhine, which "warns the strikers in Germany that they must immediately return to work on pain of having strong measures taken against those who promote or countenance unrest. The American commander some time ago issued a similar order.

Northern Italy is experiencing a spell of labor trouble. The workmen at Milan, Bologna, Turin and Genoa, the principal manufacturing cities, having gone on a 24-hour strike. Earlier in the week at Milan there was fighting in the streets between Socialist and anti-Socialist groups, in which four persons were killed and several wounded. Troops had to be called out to restore order.

Labor troubles also are brewing in the department of the Seine, France, of which Paris is the capital. A one-day strike has been called for May 1 by the General Federation of Labor to put forward the federation's program which calls for an eight hour day, political amnesty, non-intervention in Russia, lifting of the state of siege and censorship and the return of constitutional guarantees.

A general strike is threatened if the government and the employers do not meet the demands of the federation.

Disorders in Italy. Disorders of such magnitude are reported from both European and Asiatic Turkey as to give rise to the fear that there will be great outbreaks at various points and new massacres of Armenians.

An investigation by the Belgian central industrial committee of the damages suffered by Belgium as a result of the war shows that these aggregate 35,000,000 francs. The items include damages to state property, Belgian industry and private homes, and war expenses.

A Russian Bolshevik wireless communication announces that the Bolsheviks at various points on the western Russian front from the Black Sea to the Baltic have been victorious in fighting against various groups.

TAKE BODY OF EDITH CAVELL TO ENGLAND

LONDON, April 17.—(British Wireless Service.)—The body of Edith Cavell, the English nurse who was executed by the Germans in 1915 at Brussels, will be brought to England from Belgium on May 15 and taken to Westminster Abbey, where ceremonies will be held. The body will be transported on a gun carriage with military escort to Victoria station and thence to Westminster Abbey. Interment will be at Norwich, the home town of the Cavells.

FOOD FOR GERMAN. RELEASE ANOTHER I. W. W.

(By The Associated Press.)—Twenty-three American freight cars loaded with bacon, flour, evaporated milk and rice have arrived at Coblenz for the Germans. Distribution thru German channels will begin immediately.

Plan Unity Of Command For American Fleet

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Designation of Admiral Henry T. Mayo as commander in chief of the United States fleet, it was disclosed today, was part of a plan for unity of command in the navy worked out by the bureau of operations on the basis of experience in the world war. The complete plan, however, has not been approved by Secretary Daniels.

Under the pre-war system three separate commands were maintained for the Atlantic, the Pacific and the Asiatic fleets, with each fleet officer having equal rank.

Many naval officers believe that even with the fleets widely separated they should be under a single directing head, who naturally would be the commander of the Atlantic fleet.

After the troops are home, some of the older battleships will be put in reserve, but the others and the cruiser force will join Admiral Mayo's ships, giving him a fleet of several hundred vessels—the greatest ever gathered under the American flag.

AERIAL NAVIGATION GONE OVER BY THE PEACE CONFERENCE

PARIS, April 17.—"The seventh and eighth meetings of the international convention on aerial navigation, which body is also the aeronautical body of the peace conference, were held on April 15 and 16," says an official report issued today. "Admiral Knapp and Major General Mason M. Patrick represented the United States."

"The commission had before them full reports from their commercial, legal, financial and technical sub-committees. There were forty-one articles in the draft convention and six annexes.

On the question of aircraft, the analogy of merchant shipping was followed to a certain extent, the main principles being that the nationality should be governed by the nationality of the owner of the aircraft. The convention has decided as a matter of principle that certificates of competence in the case of the crew are to be recognized as necessary in international flying.

"The right of flying over a state from frontier to frontier, is recognized, subject to the safeguard that the state down across may compel a landing for the interest of national security, or, in other words, where reasonable suspicion exists that the flight is not a bona fide innocent flight. There are also provisions for the carriage of various papers of identity on the aircraft and prohibition against the carriage of dangerous articles.

"The final provisions include an arbitration clause for the settlement of disputes and a clause which definitely places the convention on a peace basis as not affecting the rights and duties of belligerents or neutrals in time of war. Aircraft are then placed in a class apart and may not fly outside their own countries except by the special authorization of the state visited, in which case their treatment shall be in accordance with the usual rules prevailing in the case of a ship of war.

"The convention contemplates the formation of a permanent aeronautical commission on aerial navigation, which will keep in close touch with all new developments and act as a clearing house for all information on questions of air navigation between the respective states.

"The commission directed that a complete draft dealing with the various amendments proposed shall be prepared for their next meeting."

MAY SEND MESSAGES BY PRIVATE CODE

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Changes in the cable censorship regulations which will permit the transmission of messages to or from the United States censorship of messages between the United States and Central America, South America, South Africa and the West Indies, including Mexico and Cuba, were announced tonight by Acting Secretary Roosevelt of the navy department. The new regulations, which will become effective tomorrow, will permit the sending of private code.

Sensorship of cablegrams to or from points within British, French or Italian territory, irrespective of their route or terminal, also has been removed by this government.

In addition, cablegrams to and from the Far East, excepting only those through, to or from Vladivostok, no longer are subject to United States censorship.

Attention was called to the fact, however, that British, French and Italian censorships are still in operation.

BOND SIGNED FOR RELEASE ANOTHER I. W. W.

Chicago, April 17.—Bond for the release of Vincent St. John, one of ninety-seven I. W. W. leaders convicted last October of violation of the espionage act and sent to Ft. Leavenworth was signed today and forwarded to the prison officials.

FOOD SITUATION IN RUSSIA IS MADE PUBLIC

Letter from Council of Four Shows Conditions Grave

PARIS, April 17.—(By The Associated Press.)—Correspondence between Dr. Fritjof Nansen, head of the commission appointed to feed Russia, and President Wilson and Premiers Clemenceau, Lloyd George and Orlando on the food situation in Russia was made public today. Dr. Nansen's letter said in part:

"The present food situation in Russia, where hundreds of thousands of people are dying monthly from starvation and disease is one of the problems now uppermost in all men's minds.

"As it appears that no solution of this food question has so far been reached, I would like to make a suggestion from a neutral point of view on purely humanitarian grounds.

"It would appear to me possible to organize a purely humanitarian committee for the provisioning of Russia, the foodstuffs and medicine supplies to be paid for, perhaps to some considerable extent, by Russia itself, the justice of distribution to be guaranteed by a committee. The general makeup of the commission would be comprised of Norwegian, Swedish, and possibly Dutch, Danish and Swiss nationalities.

"It does not appear that the existing authorities in Russia would refuse the intervention of such a committee of a wholly non-political order, devoted solely to the humanitarian service of saving life."

President Wilson and the premiers replied in part: "The misery and suffering in Russia described in your letter of April 3 appeals to the sympathies of all peoples. It is shocking to humanity that millions of men and women and children lack the food and a cloak which makes life endurable.

"The governments, the peoples whom we represent, would be glad to co-operate, without thought of political, military or financial advantage, in any proposal which would relieve this situation. It seems to us that such a committee as you propose would be a practical means of acquiring the beneficent results you have in view and could not, either in its conception or its operation, be considered as having any other aim than the humanitarian purpose of saving life."

"There are great difficulties to be overcome, political difficulties given to the existing situation in Russia and difficulties of supply and transport, but if the existing local governments of Russia are as willing as the governments and peoples whom we represent to see success and relief given to the stricken people of Russia, no political obstacle will remain."

"The problem of transport in Russia and of distribution can be solved only by the people of Russia themselves, with the assistance, advice and supervision of your commission.

"In no other circumstances could it be believed that the purpose of this relief was humanitarian and not political. Under no other conditions could it be certain that the hungry would be fed."

"That such a course would involve the cessation of hostilities within definite lines in the territory of Russia is obvious. And the cessation of hostilities would necessarily involve a complete suspension of the transfer of troops and military material of all sorts to and within Russian territory."

"Indeed, relief to Russia which did not mean a return to a state of peace would be futile and would be impossible to consider."

"Under such conditions as we have outlined we believe that your plan would be successfully carried into effect, and we should be prepared to give it our full support."

(Signed) "E. Orlando. "D. Lloyd-George. "Woodrow

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THE FARMERS VIEWPOINT ON STATE CONSTABULARY.

The state constabulary bill now pending before the legislature is receiving the earnest support of many farm organizations throughout the state. A number of these organizations have formally endorsed the bill and have sent communications to their representatives and senators urging its passage.

The farmers who are basing their opinion upon experience in other states, favor the bill because they believe it will give them police protection in the rural precincts which they do not now have. The opposition to the bill is coming from organized labor, on the theory that the principal purpose of the state constabulary is to use this force for the settlement of strikes.

LABOR AND COMMUNITY COUNCILS.

Tonight at 8 p. m., at the Trades and Labor Assembly hall, the labor interests of the city will come together in an open meeting to which the public will be welcomed, for the purpose of discussing the community council movement which is interesting the people of Jacksonville.

On April 10, at a meeting called by a number of organizations of the city, a community council was formed for Jacksonville and a governing committee elected. No group can be effective as a community council without full representation from labor in all its meetings and deliberations, and it is to secure the intelligent and understanding co-operation of labor that the meeting tonight has been arranged.

It will be presided over by Frank S. Matthews, president of the labor assembly. Allen D. Albert, so widely known for his work for the commission training camp activities during the war, will be the principal speaker of the evening.

Mr. Albert addressed the meeting on April 10, and was enthusiastically received. As the meeting tonight is open to the public, Jacksonville citizens will have another opportunity to hear this eloquent speaker, and to learn more of the object and possibilities of a community council.

The council is expected to prove the forum where all questions affecting our community or our people will be heard, whether it be questions relating to working conditions, housing, health,

safety, recreation, schools or other matter of mutual interest. This it is hoped will do away with self-interest and one-sided development in our community and further may create a hopeful and constructive spirit which will be manifested in a broader and more just and enlightened solution of social and industrial problems.

TRUTHFUL ADVERTISING.

The Combined Retail Merchants' association of Springfield is tackling a delicate job. The organization has decided to prosecute any merchant or firm who indulges in any fake advertising. The Springfield men are taking part in a nation wide movement to increase the value of advertising by eliminating all that is untruthful or distorting. Advertising associations have for a number of years been lending their influence to this very program. They hope thru this widespread propaganda to put an end to all fake advertising and to bid good-bye to the day when a merchant can advertise sale values that he does not give. The adherence to this prosecution policy by reputable merchants will do away with the "my by night" concerns who occasionally disturb normal business conditions of every community.

TO MAKE DRY LAW EFFECTIVE.

The Illinois legislature is keeping pace with the legislatures of other states in an effort to pass a bill to enforce the provisions of the prohibition act. The bill, which stands an excellent chance of passage, was introduced by Senator John A. Wheeler and provides for a state commissioner and assistants to bring about the strict enforcement of the liquor laws. The bill fixes the salary of the commissioner at \$6,000 and \$4,000 salary for each of the assistants. By the terms of the bill also authority will be given for the employment of twenty-five investigators at a salary of \$6 a day. It is argued that some such special legislation is necessary and that the expense incurred will probably more than be made up by the fines imposed. If the state constabulary bill is passed possibly some of the duties of liquor law enforcement might devolve upon the officers of the law thus created.

LOOKING TO THE FUTURE.

The Chicago American in the recent election was opposed to Mayor Thompson. Now that paper is advocating the policy of forgetting the past and having all Chicago people join in the support of Mayor Thompson in an effort to bring a greater and better Chicago.

Since the mayor did win so handily and was really the choice of the people as chief executive, there is every good reason for the "forget the past and look to the future" policy that the American is recommending. That is a good policy for both cities and individuals.

CARING FOR THE TREES.

A Belleville man has set an example that is worth emulation. Each year he gives away trees for planting to every child in the city. This year more than 3,000

trees were planted because of this bit of philanthropy. Jacksonville does not have the need for such a general tree planting program but some plan should be evolved for the planting of new trees where old ones have been seriously damaged or have died. Jacksonville's tree prestige should be maintained thru all the years.

BOND ISSUE APPROVED.

The good roads bond issue has been approved by the supreme court. There had never been any real doubt as to the constitutionality of the act but the decision definitely settles this point. Now all that stands in the way of a great volume of road construction is the high price of cement. Gov. Lowden and other state officials have indicated that the building program will be postponed at least another year unless the manufacturers come forward with lower price than that which has obtained.

THE WAUKEGAN WAY.

In Waukegan the water question is a matter of public interest. The solution was so long delayed that the residents in one block got together and drilled a community well for their own private uses. Fortunately in Jacksonville this water problem is well in hand. There are some delays but not of a serious kind and the project is moving along nicely toward development.

Rippling Rhymes By Walt Mason

War Books.

I'm tired of your stories of sorrow, of bones and of helmets of tin, and so I am going to borrow a book that will kick up a grin. Perhaps you will say I am callous, a hard-hearted fellow, indeed, on seeing me breaking a gallus to find something funny to read. But I am so tired of the trenches, of chargers and bugles and horns! A book on such topics just wrenches my system clear down to my corns. I'm tired of the kings and the colonels. I'm tired of the traitor and spy. I'm sick of the translated journals which harrow my soul till I cry. I've sighed till I'm weary of sighing. I've wept till I'm weary of brine; and so, all conventions defying, I ask for some humor in mine. The years have been slow and distressing, the sad years of sorrow and wrong; to laugh is a joy and a blessing, when we have been solemn so long. The most of the warbooks are lemons, they're bloody and gloomy and vain; so hand me some stories by Clemens, who's known to the rabble as Twain. And even old Joshua Billings, or Artemus Charlie Brown Ward, are better than stories of killings and corpses heaped up by the cord. I've wept till my weeper is weary, I've sobbed till my sobber is sore; so lend me a book that is cheery, that isn't all sticky with gore.

PUBLIC SALE of Used Cars

Saturday, April 19, 2 p. m. On the Zahn lot, East Court street, if weather is good; if not, then at Zahn's Garage. Four Buick Sixes, Fords, Dodges, Maxwells, Studebakers, Overlands, Reos, Chevrolets, Hallidays, Hudsons, Cadillacs, Saxons. Cars will be on lot early Saturday morning subject to demonstration or inspection. Don't miss chance for big bargains. Lloyd Seely, Auctioneer.

HOWARD ZAHN

THE GRANT PARK BANK CASE

Miller Weir came to Jacksonville yesterday for a brief stay at his home. Mr. Weir has been busy this week with the affairs of the bank at Grant Park, just closed by order of State Auditor Andrew Russel. Chicago papers in referring to the Grant Park failure indicate that Mr. Weir has handled the situation with such financial judgment that the failure brought very little disturbance to the Grant Park community.

Don't miss "Mickey" at the Rialto Monday.

RIALTO

TODAY

Feature Picture
5-Reel World Film
LOUISE HUFF
in
"CROOK OF DREAMS"

With Frank Mayo and all star cast.

ALSO
"The Price of Peace"
The only official picture covering the war from the day it was declared down to date.
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PLANS OUTLINED FOR HEALTH PROMOTION

Meeting Held at Public Library Thursday—Maps of City Will Be Made By Health Crusaders—Executive Committee Named

At a meeting of citizens held at the Public Library Thursday afternoon preliminary plans were made for Health Promotion week which will begin May 11 and end May 17.

About twenty citizens who are interested in the health movement were at the meeting. In addition labor organizations had representatives present and Mayor-elect Crabtree and most of the recently elected city officials were present.

Dr. H. A. Chapin was chosen chairman of the meeting, and made a statement of its purpose.

A number of talks in the interest of health movement were made. Mr. Crabtree spoke of the need of a general clean-up and indicated that the incoming city council would be in full accord with all movements tending to the betterment of health conditions. The speaker was of the opinion that this movement should be backed by the whole community.

Mr. Crabtree offered a motion that an executive committee of five be appointed by the chairman, he to be chairman of the committee. This committee was to have power to appoint all sub-committees and to confer with F. C. Blandin, special agent of the Department of Public Health of the State of Illinois.

The motion carried and the chairman appointed Mrs. Leavitt as secretary. Miss Dorothy Dorsey, Miss Martha Coale, H. A. Perrin and John D. Cain.

At the afternoon session an interesting address was made by Miss Catherine Olmsted on the work in child welfare she and Miss Schultz are doing in Morgan county.

Thursday evening the executive committee met with Mr. Blandin and outlined plans for

health promotion week. It is the purpose to begin the week with addresses on health promotion in the various churches. This will be in the form of a sermon by the pastor or an address by some citizen.

The work as outlined will include the making of maps of the city showing all unsanitary conditions about buildings. This work will be done by the health crusaders and the unsanitary buildings and other places will be indicated by red marks on the maps. In this way it is expected to have the work to be done fully mapped out before the inauguration of Health Promotion Week.

F. C. Blandin representing the state board of health is making a tour of several counties in this vicinity at the present time. Yesterday he was in Cass county and today he expects to go to Winchester in Scott county. Mr. Blandin called attention to the last report of the state health department in which it is shown that the loss by communicable and preventable disease in Morgan county for the year ending July 1, 1918, was in money value \$1,300,000. This of course does not include any of the months in which the influenza epidemic raged in the city and county.

It is the expectation of those in charge of the work for Health Promotion Week to push plans forward so that a perfect organization will be ready when the time arrives. The executive committee will make announcement of the various sub-committees at an early date.

The most powerful matrimonial drama ever presented on the screen or stage, "Why I Would Not Marry." SCOTT'S Theatre TODAY

A MONTANA VISITOR
L. W. Schultz is here from Camp Grant visiting his wife and child. The gentleman is a resident of Montana but will not be able to go there for some time as he is suffering with trouble with his feet and rheumatism contracted while in the service in France. It is earnestly to be hoped that

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MOVING PICTURES AT BUSINESS COLLEGE

This evening a moving picture exhibition will be given at Brown's Business College beginning at 8 o'clock. Two reels will be shown. The first is entitled "The Evolution of a Stenographer." The second is "The Story of the Typewriter." The exhibition is free and all friends of the college are cordially invited to attend.

Don't miss "Mickey" at the Rialto Monday.

For Corn Flakes the yellow and red package for mine— says Bobby.

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You will never forget "Mickey" the humor, the pathos, the adventure and love.
Time of Shows — 1:30, 3:00, 4:30, 6:00, 7:30 and 9 p. m.
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The Love Trials of the Most Beautiful Woman on Earth and 12 reasons Why She Would Not Marry

1. Would You Sacrifice Happiness for Your Parents?
Should a beautiful young girl sacrifice happiness by marrying a rich man she does not love so that her parents can continue to live a false artificial life in what the world calls "society"? See the answer in the William Fox morality production, "Why I Would Not Marry."
2. Would You Steal to Please Your Wife?
Is a man justified in stealing because he wants his wife to have the things rich men give their wives? The answer is given in the William Fox morality production, "Why I Would Not Marry."
3. How Wives Become Dissatisfied
How can a poor man protect himself against rich men who are attracted by his wife's beauty and who offer her all the luxuries she craves, none of which the husband can supply. See how a woman is tempted in "Why I Would Not Marry."
4. Is Marriage a Matter of \$ \$ \$?
Does the dollar sign lurk behind every marriage? Are there no girls who give any thought to love? Are all young women satiated with the mercenary idea? For the answer in "Why I Would Not Marry."
5. Is Marriage Taken Seriously Today?
Why do so many young people enter into marriage in a light-hearted way? Is it because they do not realize the seriousness of wedlock? Who is to blame? Get the answer in "Why I Would Not Marry."
6. Would You Auction Your Daughter?
Are all parents imbued with the idea that it is their duty to marry their daughter as "advantageously" as possible? See how one girl resents this policy in the William Fox morality production, "Why I Would Not Marry."
7. Would You Want a Lazy Husband?
It requires strong love for a wife to stick to a mediocre husband, who can hardly make a living, and is always waiting for something big to turn up, but a girl successfully meets such a situation in the William Fox morality production, "Why I Would Not Marry."
8. Are Husbands Immoral?
Divorce records show that there have been many husbands who forced their wives into immorality for profit. See how such a situation is met in the William Fox morality production, "Why I Would Not Marry."
9. What Causes So Many Divorces?
There are 341,277 divorced persons in the United States. Man is chiefly to blame for the condition is the universal cry. Do you think so? See the problem presented in the William Fox morality production, "Why I Would Not Marry."
10. Do You Believe in Race Suicide?
Is woman's place really in the home? Is nothing more to be desired of her than to raise a family and "keep house"? See a practical demonstration of this problem in the William Fox morality production, "Why I Would Not Marry."
11. Does Passion Glorify Marriage?
Is the sanctity of marriage revered by man only because a woman has beautiful eyes, a glorious body and fiery passion? See how a woman fights off shame in the William Fox morality production, "Why I Would Not Marry."
12. Would You Stain Your Soul for a Man?
Is a woman justified in straining her soul to save her husband from disgrace? Such a problem is vividly presented in the William Fox morality production, "Why I Would Not Marry."

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A BURTON HOLMES TRAVEL PICTURE
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Afternoon, All Seats 15c After 6 o'clock, All Seats 20c
Orchestra Music At Night!
TIME OF SHOWS—1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00 and 9:00 o'clock.
Today Only at
SCOTT'S THEATRE

City and County

R. Massey was down to the city from Peoria yesterday.

M. Berry was a city caller yesterday.

William Cleary of the region of the Crossing traveled to the city yesterday.

Harold Korrom of Chandler was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Mittendorf and wife were

up to the city from Bluffs yesterday.

J. R. Korte, mother, Mrs. Lena Korte, and brother Lee, were city callers from Bluffs yesterday.

Tell him "No!" When he asks the reason, take him to see the great morality play of the age, "Why I Would Not Marry."

SCOTT'S Theatre TODAY

Joseph Seeby is here on a furlough of seven days from Camp Grant. He is glad to be with his friends for even a short time.

Frank A. Eck helped represent Alexander in the city yesterday.

A. Appel of Springfield was a visitor yesterday with his friends Breeden & Dorand the west side merchants.

Roy Jassey was down to the city from Tallula yesterday.

T. D. Wilson of Ashland made the city a visit yesterday.

Joseph Bergschneider was a city arrival from Ashland yesterday.

Mrs. Leila Ash was up to the city from Roodhouse yesterday.

Mrs. Carl Neat, banker's wife, traveled from Winchester to the city yesterday.

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Mrs. Joseph Evans of Waverly was a city shopper yesterday.

Miss Leila Bayless was a city shopper from Concord yesterday.

Mrs. Albert Dunlap was down to the city from Litterberry yesterday.

William Rexroat of Arenzville was in the city yesterday on his way to St. Louis on business.

Riley Spaenower of Pisgah was a caller on town friends yesterday.

Miss Cora Weakley was down to the city from Prentice yesterday.

Miss Hazel Glenn traveled from Woodson to the city yesterday.

John Rule is up from his school at East St. Louis to enjoy the Easter holiday.

Wm. H. Crum and family motored down to the city from Litterberry yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Woodall was a city shopper from Manchester yesterday.

A few excellent bargains left, in used cars, at attractive prices. See us at once. L. F. O'Donnell, 228 West State St.

Miss Sophronia Evans of Waverly journeyed to the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Adkins was a city caller from Prentice yesterday.

Merle Bedingfield of Joy Prairie was a caller in the city yesterday.

J. H. Leeper helped represent Chanderville in the city yesterday.

George Heckman was a city arrival from Pisgah yesterday.

Edward Stanley drove to town from Joy Prairie yesterday.

Miss Lottie Mittendorf of Bluffs was among the callers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. G. R. Still of Murrayville was attending to affairs in town yesterday.

Mrs. John Hall of Meredosia made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

John Chapman of Alexander was among the callers in the city yesterday.

Louis Perbix was a city caller from Markham yesterday.

W. E. Bedingfield was a caller from Concord in the city yesterday.

Mrs. James Evans of Waverly was a city shopper yesterday.

W. R. Steele of Nortonville made a business trip to the city yesterday.

The picture that comes but once in a life time—"Mickey", at the Rialto Monday.

Mrs. Henry Onken was a city shopper from Chapin yesterday.

J. W. Ruble of the Franklin Poultry Co. brought to the city yesterday a load of goods in his line.

John Holly of the region of Arnold was a city caller yesterday.

Mrs. Elita Perbix and son were travelers to the city from Chapin yesterday.

Mrs. Joseph Self of Woodson made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

J. Hart traveled from Franklin to the city yesterday.

W. E. Miller and wife were city callers from Waverly yesterday.

Harold Nergenah of Chapin was one of the city's visitors yesterday.

George Skaggs of Scottville traveled to Jacksonville yesterday.

Misses Minnie and Effie Waters were city arrivals from Virden yesterday.

Paul Reynolds and wife of Davenport were arrivals in town yesterday.

SPECIAL SALE of this Season's TRIMMED HATS This Week Only \$4, \$5 and \$6

MRS. CLARA GRASSLY 218 1/2 So. Main St.

Misses Gertrude and Minnie DeCain of Pawnee were added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Arthur Zachary and family of the vicinity of Alexander called in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Elita Perbix and son journeyed from Chapin to the city yesterday.

Robins Strawn of Strawn's Crossing was a caller in the city yesterday.

William Zahn traveled from Concord to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Nergenah of Chapin was a city shopper yesterday.

Arthur Brookhouse of the west part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. E. J. Howard and daughter were city shoppers from Beardstown yesterday.

Mrs. Ella Petefish of Litterberry was a traveler to the city yesterday.

J. R. Stickle of Greenfield brought a load of poultry to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Alfred Anderson arrived in the city from Chapin yesterday.

"Mickey", the picture you will never forget.

Grant Gaines has returned from East St. Louis where he went to visit his son Arnold and wife.

Mrs. J. W. Robertson and daughter were city callers from north of Alexander yesterday.

Mrs. C. C. Self helped represent Woodson in the city yesterday.

John Wiegand of Alexander was a traveler to Jacksonville yesterday.

Rev. Alexander Cunningham has arrived in the city and expects to be here for some time. He has been studying in Chicago at the theological seminary and serving as pastor some weeks at Aledo.

A. W. Petefish was down to the city from Litterberry yesterday.

Dr. Dollear left yesterday for his regular trip to Springfield.

Would you sacrifice your soul to save your husband from disgrace? That's "Why I Would Not Marry."

SCOTT'S Theatre TODAY

Mrs. Joseph Evans of Waverly was a shopper in the city yesterday.

I. D. Sheppard was up to the city from Woodson yesterday.

J. A. Zellar and family were up to the city from Woodson yesterday.

S. J. Richmond, a chief petty officer of the navy, was in the city yesterday on business. The gentleman is on shore duty and left during the day.

E. R. Robson of La Porte, Ind., was calling on local merchants yesterday.

Burt Duckworth of Fairfield, Ill., spent Thursday in the city on business.

SEE HERMAN'S LADIES' AND MISSES' READY TO WEAR GARMENTS SPECIALLY PRICED THIS WEEK.

A. H. Denham of Bloomington was called to the city on business yesterday.

T. W. Busby of Canute, Okla., is visiting his brother, H. C. Busby and family of 354 East North street. Mr. Busby has been a resident of Oklahoma for many years. He expects to be here for several days.

The Berger Motor Co., unloaded a shipment of fourteen new Overlands Thursday.

Easter Neckwear.

FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

Keith Montgomery has returned from a two months' business trip in Wisconsin and Illinois in the interest of the Lattin-Bloomfield Company of Cleveland Ohio.

manufacturers of ladies ready to wear garments. Mr. Montgomery expects to spend several weeks at his home here.

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30c lb.—Special value. 35c lb.—Worth more. 40c lb.—Very good. 45c lb.—The best that money can buy.

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C. N. PRIEST HELD CLEAN-UP SALE

Sold Off Stock and Implements and Has Leased Farm—Sale Was Successful and Totalled About \$2,500.

C. N. Priest held a clean-up sale at his farm near Berea church Thursday afternoon. There was a large attendance and Mr. Priest said last night he was well pleased with the prices that prevailed.

The sale totalled about \$2,500. Mr. Priest has leased his farm and disposed of surplus stock. William Baker of Litterberry was the auctioneer and R. R. Stevenson of this city served as clerk. Some of the prices and buyers follow:

Horses. Charles Patterson, team of gray horses, \$360.

J. Jumper, team of bay horses, \$252.50.

Dr. Roberts, bay mare, \$50.

H. Townsend, gray horse, \$90.

Cattle. J. E. Spencer, cow, \$162.

J. Spradlin, cow and calf, \$100.50, heifer \$80.50, one at \$52, calf \$46.50, one at \$30.

W. W. Robinson paid \$1.36 a bushel for 400 bushels of corn in the crib, and 60 cents for 400 bushels of oats.

NOTICE

Carpenters union 904. Special address by Prof. Albert, at Trades Assembly hall Friday 8 p. m. Be present.

J. A. Scott, Pres.

A WORTHY VETERAN

J. T. Cole of Roodhouse made the city a visit yesterday and met a number of friends. The gentleman is a veteran of the civil war and was in the hell of Andersonville six months. He was not twenty when he left but is yet quite hale and hearty for one almost 75 years old and having endured so much. For many years he has been commander of the G. A. R. post at Roodhouse. That organization, like the one here is dwindling away and now numbers but sixteen members and ere many years there will be none.

MAKE IT FOUR DOLLARS

A well known gentleman who read the item about killing the robin requested the Journal to add his name to the two dollars list so that any person furnishing information that will result in the arrest and punishment of the person who killed that innocent bird will be four dollars ahead and doubtless others will increase the sum.

A HANDSOME GIFT TO THE LIBRARY

Mrs. Thomas Worthington has presented the public library nineteen years of the International Studio, an art publication finely illustrated and very valuable for the place in which it is to be kept.

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Get busy with a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery at once

Coughs, colds and bronchial attacks—they are all likely to result in danger unless checked in time. And how effectively and quickly Dr. King's New Discovery helps to do the healing work! Inflamed, irritated membranes are soothed, the mucous discharges loosen freely, and quiet, restful sleep follows. 60c and \$1.20. All druggists have it. Sold since 1869.

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No more lazy bowels, yellow complexion, sick headache, indigestion, embarrassing breath, when you use the corrective Dr. King's New Life Pills they systematize the system and keep the world looking cheerful. 25c.

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GOOD SHOWING OF LITTERBERRY SCHOOL

The following report from Room 2 of the Litterberry school has been sent in for publication by the teacher, Miss Margaret Chapman.

Grade 5. Rank 1—James Robert Beav.

Rank 2—Paul Petefish.

Grade 4. Rank 1—Myrtis Sorrell.

Rank 2—Landis Young.

Grade 3. Rank 1—Orville Chapman.

Rank 2—Oris Lindsay.

Grade 2. Rank 1—Ernest Roach.

Rank 2—Isabel Francis.

Grade 1. Rank 1—A tie between Ola Mullens and Eugene Young.

Pupils neither absent or tardy for month: Paul Petefish, James Robert Beavers, Samuel Olroyd, Myrtis Sorrell, Wiley Scribner, Oris Lindsay, Isabel Francis, Eugene Young.

DECORATIONS FOR EASTER

The decorating of Centenary church for the Easter services next Sunday will be in charge of the Sunday school classes of Mrs. W. H. Naylor and Miss Gertrude Atkins. It is particularly desirable this year because of the heavy financial demands in connection with the Centenary movement and other pressing obligations that there should be no expense incurred. For that reason any members or friends of the church having potted plants or flowers of any kind that could be used in the decorations are asked to loan them to the church for that day. All who desire to serve

the church in this way will please call up Mrs. Naylor, Illinois phone 1214.

PRE-EASTER SERVICE

The Pre-Easter service of the C. W. B. M. of Central Christian church was held yesterday at Illinois Woman's college with Miss Eleanor Thompson, Mrs. Lizzie

Liter was the leader. The meeting this afternoon will be at the home of Mrs. Charles Patton, 560 Webster avenue with Mrs. George Harney as leader.

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"In this country there were very few diamonds before 1848.

"When our friends show us stones that they believe have been 'in their families' since colonial times—or mayhap 'were brought over in the Mayflower'—we must take the statement with a grain of salt.

"There actually were fine diamonds owned by the Livingstons, the Thornes, the Alstons, the Rutledges, the Adamses and the De Peaus as many as 100 years ago, but they were far from abundant."

If you are making a birthday gift, this month, let it be something containing a diamond. You will be astonished to find how reasonably diamond set gift articles can be purchased. It will be a pleasure to show our stock.

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April 18, 19 and 21

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Dry Goods Co.

SPECIAL EXTRAORDINARY

A shipment of 150 Women's Porch Dresses, \$3.00 values. In transit 6 dozen were slightly damaged by water; they are assorted colors. To make a quicksale for benefit of Express Co., the price will be 79c.

Come Early. They Won't Last at This Price.

- 5 dozen Women's near silk Petticoats, flowered, assorted colors, new spring models, \$1.75 values. Choice for \$1.19
- 5 dozen women's new spring style, floral patterns, Crepe Kimonos; \$2.50 values. Choice for \$1.39
- 5 dozen women's \$2.00 striped Gingham House Dresses, assorted colors, only \$1.25

ONE LOT

Women's latest model, newest material fancy Silk Skirts, \$18.75 qualities for \$11.75

One lot in fancy wool materials, \$11.75 values; priced at \$6.75

- 5 dozen women's white Voile Waists, all sizes, \$2.75 values, while they last only \$1.50
- Women's New Spring Suits, latest models, all the newest fabrics; very specially priced \$24.75
- 200 yards Blue and White, and Tan and White \$1.00 Table Damask for three days 75c
- 500 yards 25c 36 in. Bleached Muslin 20c
- 800 yards 33c 36 in. Bleached Muslin 25c
- 1000 yards 35c 36 in. Nainsook finish Cambric 25c
- 100 yards 50c 42 in. Pillow Tubing 40c

EXTRA SPECIAL

100 yards fancy Art Cretonnes for pillow casings; cheap at 50c the yard; specially priced at 25c

- 50 inch, all wool, navy blue French Serge, \$3.50 value; sale price for three days \$2.25
- \$5.00 54 in. mannish French Serge, navy blue, only \$3.25

\$6.00 56 in., all wool Tricotine in navy, taupe, olive and overseas blue, for coats and capes, the yard \$5.00

- 500 yards 50c 32 in. French Gingham 40c
- 250 yards \$1.15 36 in. Silk Poplins, extra value 75c
- 600 yards 35c plain colored Dress Gingham 25c
- 1,000 yards 25c Apron Gingham, blue check only, yard 15c
- 500 yards 50c dark and light Kimono Crepe 25c
- One lot \$2.50 plain and fancy 30 in. Silk \$1.50

ASK FOR THIS SPECIAL

A new line of Colored Moire and Fancy Plaid Silk Voile for spring wear, priced right

- 100 pairs ladies' Ribbed Top White or Black Hose 35c values; priced at, the pair 25c
- 150 pairs Ladies' 50c brown or gray Lisle Hose, the pair 35c
- One lot children's 50c white Hose and a few numbers of black, specially priced, the pair 25c

MEN'S EXTRA VALUE

Another lot of those men's 35c Lisle Sox, in colors only; your choice, the pair 15c

- Women's \$1.50 Union Suits, tight or loose knee \$1.00
- Children's 35c Knit Waists 29c
- New Auto Caps, Veilings, Gloves and Corsets.

BASEMENT SPECIALS

- \$1.50 dark blue mottled Water Pail, only \$1.00
- \$1.50 17-quart gray enameled Dish Pan \$1.00
- \$1.50 white enameled Wash Basin and Pitcher \$1.00
- 3 rolls 10c Toilet Paper 25c
- \$1.35 Oval Split Clothes Baskets \$1.00
- 15c Best Calico, the yard 10c

SOAP SPECIAL

7 Bars White or Yellow Laundry Soap 25c

WINCHESTER

Winchester, April 17.—Rev. H. R. Waldo will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday. Rev. Mr. Waldo was formerly pastor of the church and will no doubt be greeted by a large number of friends.

William Gish of Peoria has recently been appointed cashier of the Frost & Hubbard bank. This institution will operate as a state bank in the future, thus complying with the recent law passed by the legislature which makes it necessary for all private banks to either become state or national banks.

Mrs. Carl Woodall attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Haymaker in Chapin Thursday. George Hogan, J. W. Taylor, Irvin Coultas and Roy Coultas attended the M. L. Robinson sale near Manchester Thursday.

The ladies of the Baptist church served a cafeteria supper in the dining room of the church Thursday evening. There was a large attendance. At 8 o'clock a special service was held the sermon being preached by the Rev. Mr. Evans. Miss Dorothy Hains further gave a musical number.

Mrs. W. S. Gibbons returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Greenfield.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Leslie Cox to C. H. Story W 1/2 N.W. 1/4 6-13-9, \$1.

H. J. Henderson to C. H. Story lot 4, block 12 Lorton & Kedzie's addition, \$1.

Cora and Oliver Hamm to W. M. Norvell lots 18 and 19 Andrus addition, \$1.

W. J. Brown to Lucy M. Hahn, lot 10 in block 3 Lorton & Kedzie's addition, \$1.

George E. Hamman and others to Frederick Hamman lots 2, 3, 6 Aylesworth & Cobb's addition, \$1.

Louise Young and others to Edgar Vasey land in 27-14-10, \$1.

Henry Oakes et al, administrators of the estate of Henry Oakes, Jr., to Henry and Charles Oakes, land in 25-18-13, to the extent of 263 acres, \$15,780.

Henry Oakes et al, to Royal Oakes, same tract, \$15,780.

W. M. King, executor, to Lena C. Engel, lots in Abbie E. King's subdivision block 22 city addition, \$500.

Lena C. Engel, to William M. King, quit claim deed, to above tract, \$1.

Fox Fernandes to J. H. Reid, land in 29-15-10, \$1.

Alpha B. Applebee to Mrs. Arline Rabbitt, property in Saunders' place addition to Jacksonville, \$1.

Isaac Gorman, by master, to Carrie Sellers, lot 3 Israel, Taggart & Smith addition, \$280.

SUNRISE PRAYER MEETING

As a preparation for the observance of Easter Day, no more fitting service has been found than the sunrise prayer meeting.

The young people of Jacksonville will have an opportunity to attend such a meeting Sunday morning at 7 o'clock in State street church if the weather will not permit an out of door service.

Should the weather be moderate and clear, the meeting will be held in "God's Out-of-Doors" at Nichols Park and will be led by Mr. Findley of the Y. M. C. A. the Young People's Union.

The invitation to attend is not limited to young people alone but is cordially extended to all and it is hoped that many will avail themselves of this opportunity to have a part in an inspiring, uplifting and in every way a helpful service.

Street cars will leave the square at 6:30 a. m.

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TWO FLYERS KILLED

WHEN PLANE FALLS

VENICE, Cal., April 17.—Andrew Curry, an aviation instructor, and an unidentified pupil were killed today when their plane went into a tail spin and fell in a residence section of the city.

The aviator, who lived a few minutes, told the police he was unable to get control of the dual controlplane because his pupil became excited and clung to his controls.

The air plane fell about 2,000 feet.

Aviation school employees said Curry and Zebolla had a similar fall yesterday but Curry wrested control from his pupil in time to avoid death.

OVERSEAS FLIGHT AGAIN POSTPONED

ST. JOHN, N. F., April 17.—While weather conditions at sea were too unsettled today to permit Harry G. Hawker, Australian airman, or Captain Frederick P. Raynham, his British rival, to start their trans-Atlantic race for the \$50,000 prize offered by the London Daily Mail, conditions were favorable enough to allow Raynham to make a test flight in his Martinsyde bi-plane. Hawker already has made his final trial trip in his Sopwith, and tonight both machines are resting in their hangars, ready to take the air at the first signs of clearing.

Matrimonial

Wife-Bedies.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Allcott have received word of the marriage of their niece, Miss Jeanette Rose Beadies, of Oklahoma City, Okla., to Lieutenant Frank Raymond Wike of Duluth, Minn.

The ceremony was said last Sunday morning at 9 o'clock by the Rev. Ottway Calvin at St. Paul's Cathedral in the presence of only intimate friends and relatives. The bride wore a blue tailored costume.

Mrs. Wike is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Beadies of Oklahoma City, Okla., former residents of this city. She has frequently visited at the Allcott home here and is a young woman of much personal charm.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Wike left after the ceremony for Duluth for a visit after which they will return to Oklahoma City for a brief stay.

Fanning-Gilpin.

William Morris Fanning and Miss Ella Gilpin both of this city, were united in marriage at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon by Justice Dyer at his office in the Dowd building. They will reside on East Lafayette avenue.

ATTENTION MOOSE

Special meeting tonight, April 18, 8 o'clock. Business of importance. Let every member be present.

L. W. Garner, Dic. M. D. Heffernan, Sec.

DEATHS

Chumley.

Brief mention was made in the Journal Thursday of the death of Glenn Chumley which occurred at the family home 217 Kentucky street at 1:20 o'clock Thursday morning.

Deceased is survived by his parents and three brothers, Edw. Paul and James Chumley and one sister, Eloise Chumley.

Funeral services will be held from the residence 217 Kentucky street at 10 o'clock this morning with burial in Diamond Grove cemetery.

Funerals

Baptist.

Funeral services for Mrs. Frances Baptist were held from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. F. Sardinha, 967 North Prairie street at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon in charge of the Rev. J. H. Morris, pastor of the Northminster church. Music was furnished by Mrs. James A. Scott and Mrs. J. M. DeFries.

with Mrs. George Ferreira as accompanist. Burial was in Jacksonville cemetery, the bearers being Frank Vieira, Joshua Vasconcellos, John A. Smith, Charles DeSilva, Charles Correa and Robert Henry.

LATE ARRIVALS

We have received another shipment of light, pretty summer hats, tans and greys also a beautiful line of children's hats.

L. C. and R. E. HENRY Oprea House Milliners.

Social Events

Literberry Aid Society

Met With Mrs. Charles Ogle. Mrs. Charles Ogle entertained the members of the Ladies Aid Society of the Literberry Christian church Thursday afternoon. The regular business meeting was first held and plans discussed for the annual June supper which will be held the first Thursday in June. Music for the occasion will be furnished by the Spillman orchestra.

Following the business session contests were held and the prize winners were Miss Lora Peterson and Mrs. Guy Dinwiddie. A social hour followed and the hostess served refreshments. The next meeting will be held the first Thursday in July with Mrs. W. H. Phillips. The collection for the afternoon was \$4.

Aldermen and Officers Elect

Guests at Crabtree Home.

Members of the city council and the officers elect were entertained at the home of E. E. Crabtree, mayor elect, Thursday night. The men assembled at 6:30 o'clock and remained together for a dinner and conference until 9:30.

While city affairs were discussed, it was purely an informal gathering, planned by Mr. Crabtree for the purpose of creating an understanding among the new officials. The conference was at this time particularly because Mr. Crabtree must go to St. Louis Monday for Liberty Loan work and his presence there will be necessary four or five days a week until May 10.

The company last night included Aldermen-elect Cain, Chapin, Ehrie, Flynn, Graft, McGinnis, Moore and Williamson; John A. Bellati and H. C. Clement, city attorney and city treasurer-elect, R. L. Pyatt, city clerk is still confined to his home by illness and could not be present.

Mrs. Singley Hostess

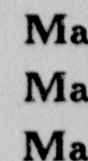
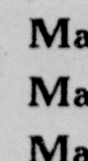
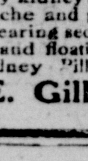
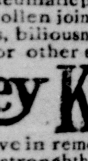
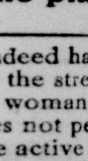
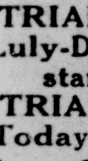
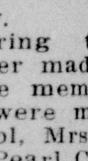
to Past Noble Grand Club of Caritas lodge No. 625 Rebekahs at her home on West College street Thursday afternoon. The hours were from 3 to 5 o'clock and the occasion proved one of great interest and pleasure.

The state president of the Rebekahs, Mrs. Lottie Sherer of Granite City was a guest of the club and also Mrs. M. Louella McCool of Springfield, district president. Two past presidents of the state assembly, Mrs. Ella Watson Reeve and Mrs. Myrtle W. Tandy, are members of the club and also were present as well as the officers of Jacksonville Rebekah lodge No. 13.

A feature of the occasion was the singing of the Booster song of Caritas lodge written by Mrs. Ebrey. The quartet which gave the song was composed of Mrs. J. J. Reeve, Mrs. E. D. Herald, Mrs. A. C. Baldwin and Mrs. T. A.

Mrs. Ebrey.

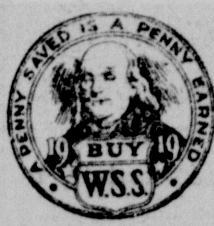
During the afternoon Mrs. Sherer made an interesting talk to the members and brief talks also were made by Mrs. Louella McCool, Mrs. Reeve, Mrs. Tandy, Mrs. Pearl Cook, Miss Lillian McCullough and Mrs. Mary R. Davis. During the afternoon the hostess served dainty refreshments.



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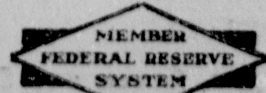
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\$4,311,172.64

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

Total Resources of the Past Ten Years

March 4th, 1910	\$1,446,023.50
March 4th, 1911	\$1,482,082.88
March 4th, 1912	\$1,498,226.58
March 4th, 1913	\$1,731,404.46
March 4th, 1914	\$1,628,771.68
March 4th, 1915	\$2,707,035.81
March 4th, 1916	\$3,086,370.55
March 4th, 1917	\$3,550,368.41
March 4th, 1918	\$4,025,385.29
March 4th, 1919	\$4,311,172.64



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ALLEN KELLEY TELLS BATTLE EXPERIENCES

aw Much of the Cruelty Displayed by Germans on Battle Front—Went Over Top Several Times.

The Journal mentioned yesterday the return of Allen Kelly and the young gentleman is surely had to be with home friends gain. He is looking quite well and gives an interesting account of his service. He left in April 1918 for Camp Lee, Virginia remaining there till June 23d when he sailed for France arriving at Brest July 5th, staying there two days. He was promoted to the telegraph corps and had the position of operator. Speaking of his experiences he said:

"We landed at Brest, France, July 5, 1918, and spent two days

there. What is now one of the main debarkation camps covering 600 acres and accommodating 150,000 men, was then nothing but a single barracks, known as the Napoleon barracks. The development of this camp is an illustration of the wonderful ingenuity of the Americans. It is especially interesting to see the way the troops are fed here. The claim is that they can feed 30,000 men in one hour.

"There has been a good deal of criticism of the Brest camp, but I really found conditions there not at all bad. The mud was the first feature, and there was lots of work to be done, but we were well fed and given good treatment.

"From Brest we went across to the Baccarat sector, the trip taking four days. We were at the Baccarat sector for several weeks. This was what was called a quiet sector, used mostly for training the troops. The real stuff was there all right, but the line was not a difficult one to maintain.

"Took Part in Verdun Drive. Sept. 15th they left for Verdun where they took part in the big drive going over the top Oct. 2d. It was there the famous 37th U. S. met the equally famous 37th Prussian guards who were mainly supplied with machine guns and artillery. One day a lieutenant felt something strike his leg and he saw blood and knew he had been hit with something. He saw an object moving in some bushes, shot at it and evidently ended its life and investigation proved it to be an 18-year old German girl machine gunner. A

German sniper in a tower of a church was doing much mischief but we finally knocked him out all right. Germans with machine guns were located in trees and had their faces painted with green stripes so they could hardly be detected.

Once a party of engineers was passing along when a sniper got three of them but they located him and took him prisoner when one asked for a gun but another, exasperated by the fellow's brutality, took a big club and smothered him to a pulp. It might have been a bit savage but kind compared with many of their performances.

Wore Red Cross Emblems. In the Argonne drive the Germans took special pains to shoot the medics, litter bearers and doctors while they would wear Red Cross emblems on their arms knowing an American soldier would respect it till undeceived. There too they had saw toothed bayonets, something forbidden by the rules of civilized warfare. There firing was so heavy at night a person could at times see to read by the light of the guns and by the morning the smoke was dense.

The first day we advanced about six miles and got ahead of the artillery and supply wagons as the mud was too bad for them to get up and rations were most woefully short. There they took in a bunch of fourteen Huns and they begged the boys not to shoot them and when they behaved they were treated kindly. One day they were bringing a line Hun who was impudent and sneeringly said he supposed they thought they would get to Berlin but they wouldn't. He was saved the trouble of going farther. Another one pleaded to be spared as he had been a bartender in New York but they told him he had no business in the German army.

One hard encounter was across the Valley of Death. Out of the forest they went to a hill and in the valley below was a stream in which the Germans had poisoned but so great was the thirst of the men that they drank from wagon and horse tracks and any other source and the wonder is that all were not killed.

Starvation For Two Days. Down this valley they went and up the hill beyond to Mt. Faucon where a tremendous fight occurred as the machine guns were thick and well manned but as soon as the artillery came up the Huns were used up in two hours. For two days though it was starvation as no supplies could reach them. They had a good many experiences and saw and heard things all of which cannot be told in print. Such fendishness as was practiced by the Huns seems unbelievable were it not for un-

questionable proof. At Audernard, Belgium they entered half an hour after the Germans left and the latter were so afraid of the Americans they left half their effects behind in their haste to get away. They came across one family, some of whom were grown girls where the Germans had been for some time and the things that transpired there cannot be told. At Hilligen they found a family with a little girl who had been branded along with other female members of the family. They visited one house where there was an old man who had been the servant of the Huns but when they left and the Americans came he took a shovel into his right and dug up a barrel crammed full of wool which was in good condition after being buried four years. Had the Huns found it they would have killed the old man.

October 2nd they left for St. Mihiel, and were there for ten days, helping to hold the line. The St. Mihiel sector is where the Germans used the most gas, mustard, sneezing and chloride gas being used in great quantities.

They left St. Mihiel for Belgium and when the armistice was signed up to the River Rhine and got caught river, ready to go over the top. The Germans were on the other side of the river and they were waiting for the orders to go across when the word came about 9 o'clock they were going to sign the armistice, and that all firing would cease at 11 o'clock. For the next two hours there was one continual hail of shells falling on their town, but at 11 o'clock the firing ceased and there was no sound of the great conflict which had been raging.

Following the signing of the armistice came the orders that they were to become a part of the army of occupation. They started up to the River Rhine and got as far as Hilligen, which is about 10 miles from Brussels, when orders came to turn around and start back home. Well, this was good news. He had seen all that he could see of the Germans and was more than willing to face toward home.

Whole City in Ruins. They left the train at Ypres, which was a city about the size of St. Louis before the war but is now nothing but ruins. He saw only one building a story and a half high, the rest all having been leveled to the foundation line.

From Ypres they walked twelve miles before they could find shelter. The territory thru which they traveled was a desolate waste, big pieces of English tanks on each side of the road and where houses had once stood nothing but piles of brick.

Young Kelly. He left Brest on March 15 and arrived in Hoboken on the 23rd, making the trip in just seven and a half days. He came over on the Von Stuben, a German liner captured two years ago by the Americans. It had been used as a raider, sea pirate and was chock full of coal when taken. It has a crew of 1200 men and carries 2800 passengers, making a total of 4,000 persons. It has seven decks and is 663 feet long and 66 feet wide. From the water line to the crow's nest is 110 feet, and the stokers are forty feet below the water line. One day out of Brest he ran across Russell Bento of this city, and a short time later passed the Ohio en route to Brest, and it happened that Leonard Bento, a brother of Russell Bento, was on board the latter vessel. Russell Bento left Hoboken on March 23 for France and is now on a return trip and due to arrive tomorrow.

From Hoboken they were sent to Camp Mills, L. I., and from there went to Camp Grant for discharge, and he left Camp Grant last Monday.

PUBLIC SALE

of Used Cars
Saturday, April 19, 2 p. m.
On the Zahn lot, East Court street, if weather is good; if not, then at Zahn's Garage. Four Buick Sixes, Fords, Dodges, Maxwells, Studebakers, Overlands, Reos, Chevrolets, Hallidays, Hudsons, Cadillacs, Saxons. Cars will be on lot early Saturday morning subject to demonstration or inspection. Don't miss chance for big bargains. Lloyd Seely, Auctioneer.

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Mary E. Pierson
Secretary.

FOR PRESIDENT
(Vote for One)

☐ JULIAN P. LIPPINCOTT

FOR MEMBERS
(Vote for Three)

☐ HENRY MUEHLHAUSEN

☐ THOMAS H. RAPP

☐ CARLE E. BLACK

SEEK BETTERMENT FOR PERSHING ROUTE

Conference Held in Springfield by Men From Eight Counties—F. J. Heint Represented Morgan County.

A meeting of the Pike's Peak Ocean to Ocean highway organization was held in Springfield Wednesday at the rooms of the commercial association. The organization is now known as the Pershing Transport route. Plans have been made for early incorporation and the reports made at the meeting Wednesday indicate that there has been some active work done all along the route and the most part is in excellent condition. Frank J. Heint was one of those in attendance.

The officers chosen were:
President—A. M. Kenney, Decatur.

Secretary—treasurer—H. A. Scheidtker, Hannibal.

These men, together with W. H. Conway and R. H. McAnulty of Springfield, George W. Hughes of Hume and F. J. Heint, made brief addresses. Mr. Conway talked upon the value of co-operation in highway work and gave some facts and figures to show what had been accomplished elsewhere by united effort. There are eight counties in this district and the total assessment for public works and other activities is \$675. Pike county's allotment is \$75; Scott \$25; Platt \$75; and Morgan, Sangamon, Macon, Douglas and Edgar \$100 each.

Mr. Heint was named a member of the executive committee for this county. The men who will serve with him are Carroll Jones, Douglas county; Walter Berger, Platt county; Elmer McClain, Edgar county; R. H. McAnulty, Sangamon county; W. C. Starr, Macon county; George H. Vannier, Scott county; J. S. Feimly, Pike county.

I hate all men! The best of them are not fit to wipe a decent woman's shoes. They are deceitful—selfish—brutal. That's "Why I Would Not Marry."
SCOTT'S Theatre TODAY

SCHOOL ELECTION

Mention has already been made of the board of education election which will be held in Jacksonville tomorrow. The polls will open at 10 o'clock and close at 5 o'clock. The polling places will be as follows:

First ward—Jefferson school building.
Second ward—David Prince building.
Third ward—County voting booth, corner East College avenue and Mauvaisterre street.
Fourth ward—Election building, corner Grove and Fayette streets.

Everybody is singing it: "Mickey."

EASTER PROGRAM AT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
At the Congregational church Sunday evening there will be a cantata entitled "Christ is Risen." The soloists will be Mrs. A. R. Gregory, Jr., Mrs. Wylder, Mrs. I. B. Potter, Miss Anna Pestle, Messrs. Shumaker, Carter, and Vessner. In addition to the cantata reading appropriate to the occasion will be given.

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Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, act gently on the bowels and positively do the work.

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ATTENDED DENTAL MEETING IN ST. LOUIS

Dr. C. B. Sawyer, Dr. R. R. Buckthorpe and Dr. W. B. Young have returned from St. Louis where they went to attend sessions of the Missouri State Dental Association. In addition to the program of addresses they witnessed some interesting clinics. A banquet was given for visiting delegates at the Statler hotel.

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WANTED—Weavers and darners on damaged garments; excellent pay, steady position. 8 hours work a day; will pay railroad fare. Write at once. B. M. Greenman, Mgr., 880 N. Richmond St., Chicago, Ill. 4-18-31.

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To carry you through the day and build you for bigger service to-morrow—**Grape-Nuts** is a wonderful helper.

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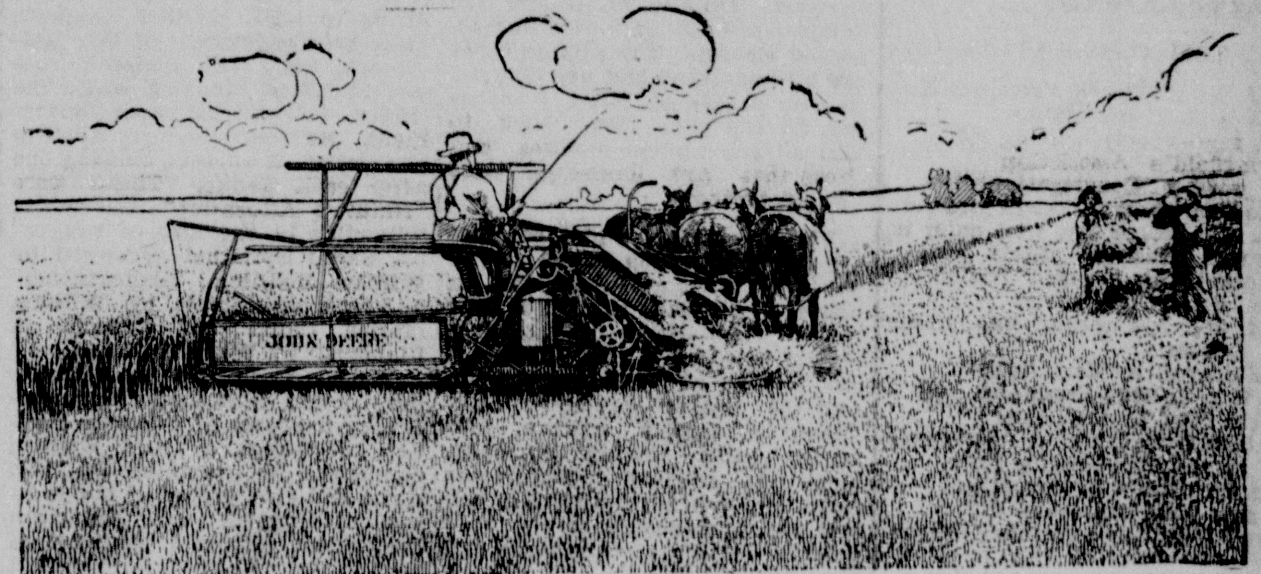
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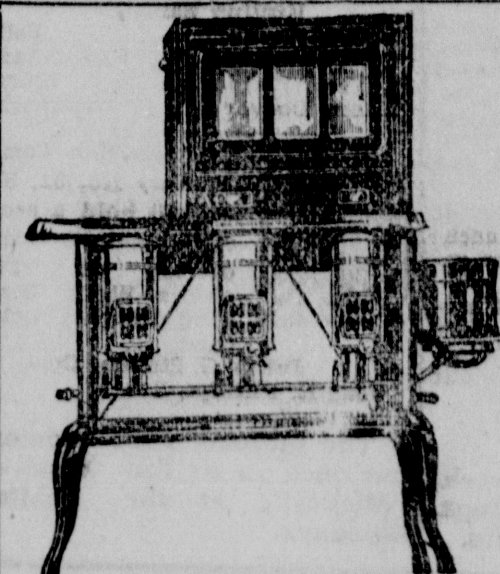
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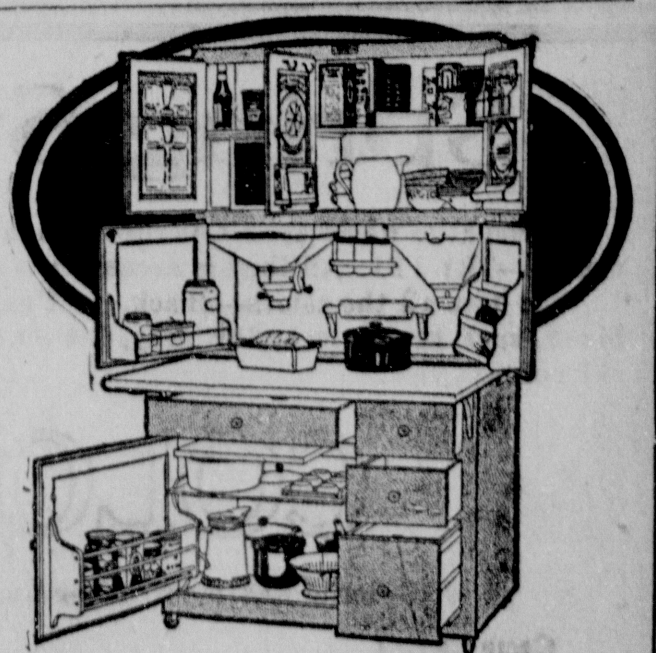
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—Our line of cabinets is very complete. The best kitchen cabinet made is the

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We also have other makes and styles at various prices from . . . \$5.00 and up

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House, Barn, Roof, Inside and Outside and Even Automobile Paint.

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Trade here and save enough to buy a few War Stamps

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The following makes Bissell, Perkins, Cadalac, Household, Best and Hugo \$4.50 and up

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If you don't know the joys of picture taking you are missing half the joys of life. Get an Ansco Camera now and take pictures of nature when she is in her prettiest dress.

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A TEXAS WONDER

The Texas Wonder for kidney and bladder troubles, gravel, diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.25. One month's bottle is two months' treatment and often cures. Send for sworn seven testimonials. Mail, 2500 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

Real Estate and Loans

If you think land is too high, come in and list yours. We have some good buyers, and want more good farms to sell. We have some bargains at the old price. Come quick, for land is going higher every day.

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Your choice of any standard inner tube, free with each tire above a 30x3½. We save you from \$5 to \$10. There are no strings to this offer.

We save you also the 5% war tax, and are making special prices on certain tires. These discounts during our extensive building operations only.

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Distributors for Buick, Chevrolet and Oldsmobile cars, and the I. H. C. Tractor.

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Yes, I have lots of farms and city property to select from but I need more. We are selling lots of them, come in and list your farms and city property with us. We still have lots of buyers.

Let me write your fire and tornado insurance. Money loaned on Real Estate.

Norman Dewees

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MRS. PEASE HAD TO FIGHT FOR BREATH

Had Awful Smothering Spells at Times—Tanlac Overcomes Troubles.

"I know now what it is to enjoy life and good health for the first time in six long years, and I can't refrain from letting others know how thankful I am for what Tanlac has done for me," said Mrs. R. S. Pease, residing at 819 North Elizabeth street, Peoria, Ill., while in the Suttiff and Case Drug Store, recently.

"You would hardly believe," she continued, "that any medicine could make such a wonderful change in a person, who has suffered so many years with such complications, as a few bottles of Tanlac has made in me. My stomach, liver and kidneys bothered me most all the time and I was so nervous at times that I was almost frantic. Everything I would eat soured, causing gas and a burning sensation like coals of fire in my stomach and such awful spells of palpitation of the heart that I would simply have to fight for breath. If I ate and supper at all the gas would press on my heart and distress me so I couldn't lay down without almost smothering, and many a time I have had to sit up nearly all night. I suffered so from heart burn at times that I just felt like I couldn't stand it and felt like I couldn't sleep. I also suffered more than words can express with my kidneys and liver. My back pained me so I could hardly dress myself and when I stooped over I could hardly straighten up. It just seemed that I was out of fix in every way. My liver was in such a bad shape that I was perfectly yellow and I lost weight and strength until I could hardly walk across the room without getting exhausted. I actually got so nervous that I could hardly keep still a minute during the day and I dreaded for night to come I would just lie in bed and suffer and listen to the clock strike every hour.

"My condition was so miserable and I used so much medicine with no results that I had lost nearly all hope of ever getting any better. I was so sick, discouraged and despondent that I felt like life was hardly worth living. But when I read the testimonial of a woman who had been relieved of such troubles of long standing by taking Tanlac I had a new hope. So I bought me a bottle and before I finished taking it there was a wonderful improvement in my feelings. I have taken four bottles now and am just like a new person. I can eat, sleep, and my appetite calls for the best food. Since the gas has stopped forming on my stomach I am never bothered with palpitation and my breath comes free and easy. My kidneys and liver are now in good shape. I no longer have that swarthy, yellow complexion and the pain has left my back entirely. I am not a bit nervous any more and, in fact, my health seems to be just perfect, and I praise Tanlac for my wonderful recovery." Tanlac is sold in Jacksonville by Clover & Shreve.—adv.

M. L. ROBINSON HELD SUCCESSFUL SALE

Proceeds Totaled Over \$16,000—
All Offerings Brought Good
Prices.

One of the largest sales in recent months in this vicinity was that of M. L. Robinson held at his farm four and one half miles west of Murrayville Thursday. The sale totaled \$16,169.75 and all offerings brought good prices. There was a large crowd present and bidding was spirited. The ladies of St. Bartholomew's church in Murrayville served the lunch. The auctioneers were C. J. Wright, Murrayville; L. L. Seely, White Hall, and L. Goacher, Manchester. E. E. Rousey was the clerk and was assisted by Ira Clark and G. L. Baine. George Rider bought three spans of mules at \$257.50, \$242.50 and \$182, and a single mule at \$115. Mr. Vinyard, span of mules at \$375 and F. E. McQuibbin, span at \$240 and an aged mule at \$90. Dick Dobson bought a mare for \$90 and a family driving mare brought \$135. Sows ranged from \$50 to \$90. Stock hogs sold from \$20 to \$32.50. Milk cows brought from \$75 to \$140 and stock cattle sold from \$50 to \$75. One hundred and fifty bales of timothy hay sold at \$1.05 per bale.

Catholic ladies aid market Sat. Apr. 19. O'Donnell sales room, West State. Every thing good to eat.

THE CONVOCATION

In Jacksonville on April fifteen, was held a convocation; The semi-yearly meeting of Springfield's Association of worthy Congregationalists. Who keep their pathways straight; And who some day, will enter in Through Heaven's pearly gate. Amongst the eloquent Divines, Was Dr. O. S. Davis; And ere his speech has scarce begun, Had proved a "Rara Avis." He is a College President In the City by the Lake; He tells from morn 'til dewy eve; He labors for Christ's sake. The Seminary he described, Is now just ten years old; Also a "Woman's Training School. Quite worth its weight in vbiijj "The Seminary," you will find At the elbow of the turn Of two long streets, quite near the "U."

Come in! let genius burn." "There also is the "Dining Hall," Where kindly acts are rife; In minutes two, a man can find "Sem." College, meal and wife." O, Doctor dear, please come again; Come soon and talk some more; Take off your coat, roll up your sleeves, And let the Eagle soar. (Mrs.) Emma Harrows Phillips, Beardstown, Illinois

There are 341,277 divorced persons in America. There's a reason! It is shown in the William Fox drama, "Why I Would Not Marry." SCOTT'S Theatre TODAY

BROOKLYN CHURCH THIS EVENING

A passover service will be held in honor of Good Friday at which time the story of the crucifixion will be told in the language of the Bible. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will also be administered. All are cordially invited to attend this service.



THE RED SHAWL

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LOAN SALESMEN HAVE INSTRUCTIONS

Letter Sent Out Thursday to
Workers—Additions to County
Organization Announced.

Albert C. Metcalf, who is county manager of sales for the Victory Loan, has sent out letter of instruction to the salesmen all thru the county. The letter calls attention to a brief and accurate way to certain details of the sales plan. It is evident from the letter that the Victory Loan campaign managers are expecting that it will require only a few days to finish up their salesmen's task. In addition to the precinct organization names already given the following have been appointed:

Markham—Allison Thomas, chairman; Edward Joy, Charles Cowdell, Arthur Reed, Harvey Scott, T. O. Coultas and Grover Vasey, salesmen.

Waverly—F. E. Deatherage, chairman; George Alderson, C. P. Wilson, W. L. Carter, Lois Walker, Orrin McCormick, F. G. Birch, Charles Lowe, John Rodgers, Howard Birch, Charles Dikis, J. L. Adeock.

Woodson—S. J. Baxter, chairman; William Mortimer, Thomas Walsh, William Megginson, W. F. Craig, Sam M. Butler, James H. Becknell, E. W. Sorrells, Dr. G. W. Miller.

Instructions to Salesmen

First.—Secure subscription blanks and buttons from your chairman.

Second.—Be prepared to make actual canvass beginning April 21, 1919.

Third.—Report daily to your chairman, turning in to him the original and the duplicate of each signed pledge. The pledge cards are all numbered and are charged to your chairman. After completing the canvass, turn back to him all your blank pledges and those that are damaged. Also mused buttons.

Fourth.—Be sure and see that all the information asked for on the card is gotten—as this is necessary to keep track of the sales. Viz:—Name and address should be legibly written, also the number of the school district and the voting precinct. Care should be legibly written, also of the bank written correctly. You are to take subscriptions only and are not expected to collect any first payments.

Fifth.—Rush your canvass and let's finish the job in record time.

Sixth.—Our boys finished the job for us—now let us finish the job for them.

Yours for Victory Loan,
HARRY M. CAPPS,
Chairman for Morgan County.
By ALBERT C. METCALF,
Manager of Sales.

PUBLIC SALE of Used Cars

Saturday, April 19, 2 p. m.
On the Zahn lot, East Court street, if weather is good; if not, then at Zahn's Garage. Four Buick Sixes, Fords, Dodges, Maxwells, Studebakers, Overlands, Reos, Chevrolets, Hallidays, Hudsons, Cadillacs, Saxons. Cars will be on lot early Saturday morning subject to demonstration or inspection. Don't miss chance for big bargains. Lloyd Seely, Auctioneer.

HOWARD ZAHN

FAVORITE LODGE CONFERRED RANK

At its regular meeting Thursday evening Favorite Lodge No. 376 Knights of Pythias, conferred the rank of Knight on John R. Godfrey, Luther W. Moore, Charles W. Wallihan, Louis W. Hudson, Henry W. Vortman and Ernest J. Reams.

Several visitors were present and following the work a luncheon was served and a smoker enjoyed.

All is in readiness for the ceremonial of the D. O. K. K.'s which is set for next Wednesday, April 23. The Tiger will be out today.

WANTED
Ten girls for light work,
good wages. Apply Supt.
Produce Dept. Swift & Co.

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FAMOUS BARITONE IN BRILLIANT RECITAL

Arthur Middleton Captivated
Audience Thursday Evening—
Gave Recital Under Auspices of
Woman's Club.

A crowd that packed the Northminster church to the doors assembled last evening to hear the song recital by Arthur Middleton, the famous baritone of the Metropolitan Opera House, under the auspices of the Jacksonville Woman's Club.

The recital was the annual concert given by the music committee of the club, and this year under the efficient and energetic chairmanship of Mrs. Abram Wehl a new standard was set for these brilliant affairs.

Before the recital began, Mrs. Miller Weir, president of the club, in a short speech welcomed the guests of the club and publicly expressed the thanks of the club for the efficient and energetic chairmanship of Mrs. Abram Wehl a new standard was set for these brilliant affairs.

In Arthur Middleton, Jacksonville was privileged to hear a great artist, one richly endowed with genuine interpretative gifts which find full expression in his beautiful voice. This is an organ of great power, wide range, and rare expressive quality and is at ways under the perfect command of the singer. The audience listened breathlessly to each number and at its close burst into perfect storms of applause.

At the close of the second group to still further express their keen enjoyment of Mr. Middleton's work the audience rose and remained standing while the singer bowed his acknowledgment. He was generosity itself in the matter of encores, singing one after each group. These were "Nature's Adoration" Beethoven "Standing in the need of prayer" "A Negro Spiritual Arranged by William Reddick," "Exhortation" a Negro sermonette by William Marion Cook, and "Christ in Flanders" by Ward Stephens.

The program was a comprehensive and well chosen one comprising a group of Arias by Handel, and songs by Old English composers, a group of Operatic Arias and two groups of songs by modern English and American composers. From a program of such consistent merit it is almost impossible to select single numbers but possibly the "Largo al Factotum" from "The Barber of Seville" by Rossini was the most brilliant bit of singing during evening.

The accompaniments of Edgar Nelson were a joy throughout the entire program, technically brilliant, tonally beautiful, they were always in perfect sympathy with the singer, giving him full support and absolute freedom at all times. It is safe to say that no more satisfying concert has been given in Jacksonville for many years. The program in detail is:

"Recitative" I Rage, I Melt, I Burn
Aria "O Rudder" Than the Cherry
"Where E'er You Walk" Handel
"Some Rival Has Stolen My True Love Away" Broadwood
"Tom O'Devon" Old English
"The Pretty Creature," Lane Wilson
"Le Lambour Major" Thomas
"Provero Marinar" Millilatti
"Fargo al Factotum" Rossini
"Requiem" Homer
"Banjo Song" Homer
"Uncle Rome" Homer
"How's My Boy" Homer
Kipling Ballads
"Follow Me Home" Bell
"Smuggler's Song" Kernochan
"Mother O'Mine" Tours
"Danny Deever" Damrasch

Hospitalier Commandery No. 31, K. T., will hold a special convocation this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Work Visiting Knights welcome.

Julius G. Strawn, Com.
John R. Phillips, Rec.

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W. B. BROWN NAMES MORE LOAN SALESMEN

Jacksonville Precinct Organized
In an Interesting Way—Team
Members Anxious to Begin
Canvass.

The organization of the Jacksonville precinct for the Victory Loan work has been practically completed. W. B. Brown is the chairman with Dr. G. H. Kopper as assistant chairman. The teams for the four wards and South Jacksonville are given herewith.

Mr. Brown indicated last night that the names for districts 1, 6, 7 and 12 will be published at a later date. In the list below there are also three names lacking in the fourth ward. Mr. Brown has found the members of the teams who have been appointed ready and willing to unite in the effort to put the loan campaign over in a very few days' time.

First Ward—Edward Brennan, captain; Rev. W. T. Sloan, A. W. Becker, B. J. Gause, W. H. McCarthy, G. M. Luttrell, J. H. O'Donnell.

Second Ward—Frank J. Wadell, captain; Henry Frisch, George Lukeman, Carl Hook, A. T. Camps, A. Wehl, Charles Graf, Charles Mackness, Harrison Rags.

Third Ward—John D. Cain, captain; J. V. Kennedy, Ellsworth Wells, Mrs. L. F. Randall, Mrs. John Buckley, Mrs. H. Dorwart, Mrs. Heimlich, Len G. Magill, Mrs. Crandall, M. L. Hildreth, Elmer Hudson, Mrs. T. S. Martin, W. E. Boston, George Riggs, Clara Cobb, Mrs. J. K. C. Pierson, Mrs. Edward Carpenter, Rev. Edward Beck, Charles Boston, Mrs. C. Boston, Walter Andre, Grace Rapp, Mrs. Irene Claus, James G. Strawn, F. J. Degen, John H. O'Donnell.

Fourth Ward—Fletcher Hopper, captain; W. B. Rogers, H. J. Rodgers, H. H. Bancroft, E. P. Brockhouse.

South Jacksonville—A. M. Masters, captain; Henry Goebel, Mr. Barr, L. O. Berryman, O. B. Heint, James McGinnis.

Would you be a bride?
Wait until you have seen the
William Fox morality play,
"Why I Would Not Marry."
SCOTT'S Theatre TODAY

THE BRIDGE COMPANY PLANT

In a recent reference to the breaking of ground for the erection of the Eli Bridge Co. plant here, the names of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Roodhouse were given thru error as Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Sullivan. Mr. Roodhouse has been for years identified with the Eli Bridge Co. in charge of advertising and sales. He has published the Optimist, the company's house organ, which has attracted a great deal of attention in business circles aside from its literary merit.

The party which came from Roodhouse for the Tuesday ceremonial included Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sullivan and daughter, Miss Letta; Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Sullivan, and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Roodhouse and daughter; Mrs. Amy Barnley of Roodhouse, and Mr. Joe E. Shearer of California, a friend of Mr. Sullivan who is making a visit in Roodhouse.

An error was also made in stating the dimensions of the building. The structure will be 150 feet wide by 225 feet long.

ILLINOIS 881
Easter Hat Sale
TODAY AND TOMORROW
at out of the business district prices.
MRS. ABBOTT.

ARRIVES FROM OVERSEAS

Howard Hughtess, arriving safely from overseas, according to a message received yesterday by his father, Elias Hughtess. The soldier who has been living in California for several years, entered the service March 30, 1918, at Bakersfield, Cal. He was sent to Camp Merritt and within a few weeks was on his way to the war zone. He was a member of the military police, attached to the 91st division. He expects to soon be discharged at Camp Grant and after a brief visit here will go to Taft, California.

HOME MADE CAKE SALE
The Yojasovi Camp Fire girls will hold a sale at one o'clock Saturday at lecture room, Congregational church.

THE MURRAYVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The public schools of Murrayville are a real credit to that community and an enterprise in which all concerned may take an honest pride. The new building is fine, convenient, well suited to the place. The teaching force is such as would be expected in such a community and excellent work is being done. The teachers are:

J. H. Dial, principal, high school.
Miss Chenoweth, first assistant.
Miss Whitlock, second assistant.
Miss Barton, 7th and 8th grades.
Miss Gladys Osborne, intermediate.
Miss Lulu Coultas, primary.

MRS. GUS HENRY'S NEIGHBORS DO WORK

Mrs. Gus Henry of the Providence neighborhood has been in poor health for more than a year past but is now somewhat improved. Wednesday eleven members of the Ladies Aid Society of Providence church went to Mrs. Henry's home and starting in at the front door cleaned the house thoroughly. It is needless to say that Mrs. Henry greatly appreciates the kindness of these ladies in giving her assistance when she so much needs it.

CARITAS LODGE IN REGULAR MEETING

Rebekahs Observed Centennial—
Observance Held in Conjunction
With Jacksonville Rebekah
Lodge No. 13.

At its regular meeting Thursday evening Caritas Rebekah lodge No. 13 celebrated the centennial of Odd Fellowship with an appropriate program. The members of Jacksonville Lodge No. 625 Rebekahs joined with Caritas in the celebration.

There was a large attendance of members and many visitors from adjacent lodges. Mrs. Lottie Sherrer, state president, was present and held a school of instruction which proved most interesting and instructive.

The Past Noble Grands of Caritas were in charge of the meeting. Miss Fern Haigh sang most acceptably two solos. Mrs. Myrtle Tandy gave a talk on Odd Fellowship and Mrs. Reeve a talk on Rebekah Odd Fellowship. A reading was given by Miss Frances Alkire and a talk by Mrs. Louella McCool, president of the woth district.

Following the program refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed with dancing.

Easter neckwear from 50c to \$3.00.
FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

USED CLOTHING FOR REFUGEES

The refugee relief committee of the local Red Cross chapter has almost completed the shipment of the county's quota of garments for the refugees of Europe. Two large shipments have already been made and the committee now has on hand enough material to make up the quota, and this will be shipped at an early date. The committee has been actively at work for more than a month past collecting garments to make up the county's quota of 7500 lbs.

"Mickey", the picture you will never forget.

Capt. H. B. Baxter of Cass

county called on a number of Jacksonville friends yesterday. A. W. Pitter left last night for Newark, N. J., to make an extended visit at the home of his son-in-law, Merle McFarland.

COLLEGE STUDENTS ON EASTER VACATION

Many of the students of Illinois college will leave today for their homes to spend the Easter vacation. Among those who will go are Miss Nabel Forrester, Palmyra, Mo.; Miss Lucille Baker, Mt. Sterling; Miss Helen Jones, Salem; Miss Violet Murphy, Chesterfield; Miss Doris Schuman, Roodhouse; Miss Elizabeth Morgan, Vienna; Miss Marie Thomas, Centralia; Miss Helen Oakes, Bluffs; Miss Edith Eckhoff, Chapin; Elmer Nichols, Arenzville; Boulware Calhoun, Franklin; Cecil Martin and Ramsey Andrews, Perry; Earl Fox, Virginia; Loyal Pinkerton, White Hall; Henry Itner, Pittsfield.

Miss Celestine Hemphill will be the guest of Miss Helen Stevens at her home in Beardstown, and Miss Lucille Bennett will spend the vacation period at the home of Miss Gladys Best at Nokomis.

Henry Hinton will go to his home in Mulberry Grove and will have the pleasure of a visit with his father, who has just returned from Y. M. C. A. work overseas. Professor George Fogue of the college faculty is spending a two weeks' vacation period in Chicago.

Everybody is singing it: "Mickey."

MINISTER A VISITOR HERE

J. E. Koehne, LL. D., was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Botkin at their home, 868 North Church street, Thursday. Dr. Koehne is a well known pulpit orator and lecturer and for a number of months past has been supplying at the Presbyterian church at White Hall during the absence of Lieut. Arthur Ewert.

Mrs. W. H. Hinrichsen has returned to her home in Alexander after more than a year spent with her son, Edward Hinrichsen, in New York City. Mr. Hinrichsen has now gone west for an extended stay and Mrs. Hinrichsen expects to be in Alexander at least until fall.

A few excellent bargains left, in used cars, at attractive prices. See us at once. L. F. O'Donnell, 228 West State St.

Misses Mary Sudbrink and Virginia Rexroat of Virginia were here to attend the Middleton concert Thursday night and were guests at the home of Miss Hazel Belle Long.

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W. H. Yancy Has Force of Men Grading Roadways with Tractor Engine—R. D. Wain Recent Visitor From Towanda—Other News Items.

W. H. Yancy has a force of men grading the highways with his tractor engine. R. D. Wain was down from Tawanda, Ill., Sunday to visit his many friends here.

Roy Higginson has resigned his position as clerk in the store of Fox & Fox to accept a similar one in the store of Wright & Co., in the city of Brooklyn, N. Y. The elevators here have taken in considerable corn recently at \$1.50 per bushel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Fox and F. C. Trotter were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Carl Bourn.

L. J. Stewart and family were calling on his brother John L. Stewart west of Jacksonville Sunday.

Wm. and Elmer Haneline and families and Miss Mary Kennedy spent Sunday at the home of Crit Haneline.

Marion C. Means has accepted the clerkship in the Fox store.

John H. Brown of Jacksonville was calling on the business men of the village today.

Clyde Martin and family were calling Sunday at the home of Chas Swain.

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CROSS ROADS.

Ralph Taylor, visited with his sister, Mrs. Frank Hembrough and family Friday and Saturday. The young man is stationed at a camp in New Mexico, now and expects to go to France soon.

Miss Ruth Conlee closed a successful term of school at Cross Roads Wednesday and returned to her home near Pisgah.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Whitlock spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fitzsimmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hembrough and Isaac Watson of Jacksonville and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Watson were Sunday guests of C. E. Reynolds and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hembrough and daughter Mildred spent Sunday with Mrs. Mattie Taylor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Megginson and daughters Mildred and Irene, and Mr. and Mrs. George Theis and children, Edna and Dorothy, were Sunday visitors at the home of L. R. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. George Megginson and son were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rex Ranson.

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NOTICE

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By order of the Board of Directors, Riley Spaenhowser, Pres. C. R. Caldwell, Clerk.

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ASHLAND

George Travis, another one of Ashland's soldier boys, has returned home.

Mrs. Mollie Allen spent a few days last week with friends at Prentice.

Miss Myrtle Reed of Springfield spent Sunday here.

Miss Helen Rearick was in Jacksonville Saturday.

Mrs. M. J. Murray and Mrs. John Morschauer were shopping in Jacksonville last Tuesday.

The Ladies Aid society of the Christian church held an apron sale and market at the home of Mrs. Geo. Bailey last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown were agreeably surprised at their home here last Saturday evening, April 12, the occasion being their 31st wedding anniversary. The surprise was planned by a company of their neighbors and friends, and it proved to be a pleasant event. Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served. The guests departed at a late hour with best wishes that Mr. and Mrs. Brown might enjoy many more years of wedded life.

Will Hay is having two new porches added to his dwelling and when completed will make a handsome and convenient residence.

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MANCHESTER

Mrs. Ella Watts of Alton, Ill., visited friends and attended to business matters here Saturday.

Mrs. Kroker of St. Louis is visiting her sister, Mrs. N. J. Billings, and also attended the funeral of Mrs. George Lawson held in Murrayville.

L. C. Funk was in St. Louis Friday in the interest of the Victory Liberty Loan.

The home talent play given by the Queen Esther girls of Murrayville M. E. church was largely attended the proceeds amounting to \$32.50. Fifty per cent of this sum went to the league.

The board of directors of the New State Bank held a meeting Monday afternoon and elected T. P. Clark president and M. L. Robinson vice president.

At the village election held Tuesday, the following were chosen for the various offices:

President—Chas. E. Thady. Aldermen—J. E. Osborne, J. F. Travis, Albert Lemon, Frank Blackburn and E. E. Rousey received the same number of votes.

Police magistrate—Lennie Goacher.

Private Jos. Rhode of Americus, Ga., is spending a few days with Rev. Peters and family. Pvt. Rhode accompanied the body of their son home last May, when he was accidentally killed. He will also visit his home in LaSalle, Ill., after leaving here.

Lee Pfening returned home with an honorable discharge Saturday.

Word was received from St. Louis this morning that Mrs. A. C. Baird is in very serious condition, little hope being entertained for her recovery.

LYNNVILLE EPWORTH LEAGUE

The Lynnville Epworth League will meet at the Methodist church Friday evening at 8:30 (new time). A part of the hour will be taken up with a stereopticon talk on "South America," by the pastor. There is also important business to transact. A full attendance is urged.

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Mr. and Mrs. Greenup Spencer of Rich Wood, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagstaff.

Mr. and Mrs. George Durham spent Sunday with Mrs. Durham's father, Joseph Ragland.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hart and C. E. Hart motored to Jacksonville Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Hart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson.

Alma and Glenn Durham spent Sunday with Mrs. Mabel Bolton. Thomas Bell and family attended the funeral of Mrs. George Lawson at Murrayville Sunday.

J. J. Clarkson of White Hall, spent Saturday at the William Hart home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Durham called on Mr. and Mrs. William Hart Sunday evening.

Several from here attended the funeral of William Million in Murrayville Tuesday.

Roy Covington of Beardstown, Mo., and Mrs. Terry Rousey and Miss Helen Rousey of Murrayville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Covington.

Misses Lena and Hilda Maloney visited with Miss Alma Durham Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagstaff and son were trading in Manchester Saturday afternoon.

Alfred Lamb has purchased a house and lot from Mr. Ruble in Murrayville.

Mrs. Charles Wagstaff and daughter called on Miss Amelia Lamb Friday afternoon.

Miss Eva Osborne spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Andrew Reid.

Robert Wagstaff was a business visitor near Roodhouse Saturday.

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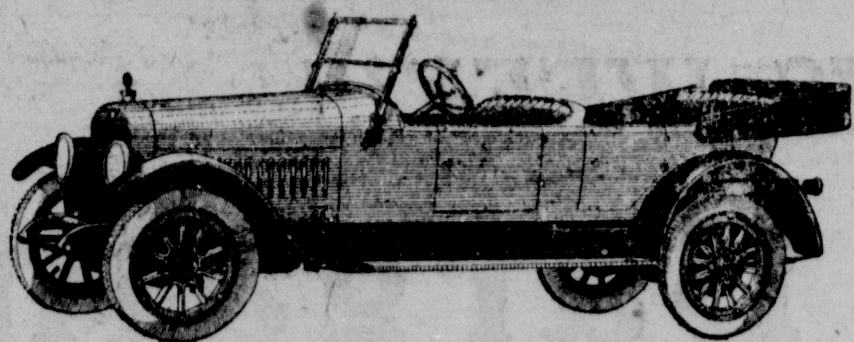
- 1 Jewel regular size Gas Stove in good order . \$7.50
- 1 Rocker with Arm Chair to match, fumed oak, re-upholstered and refinished at half new prices—both pieces . \$11.75
- 1 Small Dresser, suitable for child or for small bedroom; refinished . \$7.25
- 1 Large Oak Dresser with wash stand to match; these pieces are in fine condition—would cost new \$40.00—both pieces refinished . \$18.75
- 3 Refinished Vernis Martin Beds \$3.00, \$4.50, \$7.50
- 1 Full size Dresser, mahogany finish . \$14.00
- 1 Modern Dining Table, square, 5 inch legs —leaves are self contained; very modern and used only few months. Cost \$32, our price \$16.75
- 1 Round Pedestal Table, 6 ft. extension, Early English finish; all oak . \$13.75
- 2 New Sample Porch Chairs, reed seat and back —regular \$6.00 value . \$4.00
- 1 3-Burner Oil Stove; good order . \$9.50

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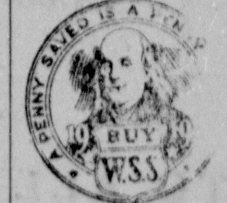
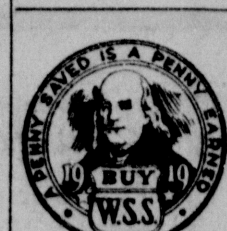
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WHITE HALL ELECTION WAS HOTLY CONTESTED

Reminded Citizens of Old Times
—Dr. F. N. McLaren Defeated H. W. Roodhouse for Mayor—
White Hall News Notes.

White Hall, April 16.—Charges and counter charges of slacking by the forces representing the opposing candidates for mayor brought out the largest vote Tuesday ever polled at a city election in White Hall, the contest rivaling the days of the faction led by H. C. Morrow on the one hand and the conservatives on the other, ten years ago and earlier. The total vote Tuesday was 1,164 and Dr. F. N. McLaren defeated H. W. Roodhouse for mayor by the narrow margin of 71 votes. Roodhouse previously held two terms as mayor. Guy Lowenstein was elected alderman of the first ward, George Staples re-elected alderman of the second ward, Elmer Stout elected alderman of the third ward, Lieut. Charles Wenken city clerk, and Miss Mary Worcester treasurer, all without opposition. The vote on the 2 cent tax for oiling purposes carried by a large majority.

Party lines were not drawn, and both candidates for mayor were pledged to a progressive administration of city affairs. McLaren was credited with promoting a shirt factory that is soon to locate here, and his final drive for votes was centered in the efforts of young soldiers, who made a house to house canvass. The Roodhouse campaign lacked such an effective organization, but the ability of Mr. Roodhouse as a campaigner won the splendid showing for him.

Concert for French War Orphan. A wonderful array of musical talent, wholly local, staged a concert in the Presbyterian church Monday evening that probably has not been excelled as a local production. The affair wound up the season of the White Hall club, and was given as a benefit to a French war orphan that has been adopted by this organization.

The opening number was by a chorus of twelve ladies, and subsequent musical numbers were by Mrs. W. B. Strang, Miss Edna Nicholson, Mrs. C. E. Stetson, Mrs. Marian Winn, Mrs. Clifford Seely, Miss Lucille Knox, with a musical reading by Mrs. E. C. Pearce. There was also a reading by Mrs. Peter J. Roodhouse, and the concluding number was Longfellow's "Village Blacksmith" by a grand chorus and orchestra. The musical director Miss Bird Duncan a well known vocalist, whose success on this occasion is the more creditable because of a previous local triumph in the presentation of "The Village Blacksmith" some years ago.

Death of Two Aged Women.
Mrs. Nancy Otey, wife of Aaron Otey Sr., residing six miles southwest of White Hall, died at 10:35 a. m. Tuesday. Her age was 66 years, and she was a leading influence in the social and religious life of the excellent rural neighborhood where she resided. Funeral services will be held in the Pleasant Dale church at 2 o'clock Friday, and the burial will be in the White Hall cemetery.

The remains of Mrs. Mary Martha Sheff, widow of the late Riley Sheff, well known in Pike and Calhoun counties, were interred in the White Hall cemetery Monday with services at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Addie Sweetin, conducted by Rev. E. C. Lucas, pastor of the White Hall Christian church, assisted by the Duncan sisters. Her age was nearly 79 years. She was a native of Pike county. Surviving

are five children, as follows: Mrs. Florence Wilson, John Field, William H. Craigsmiles, all of Calhoun county, and Mrs. Addie Sweetin and Albert Craigsmiles of White Hall.

Distinguished Service Cross.
Privates William H. Daniel, Claude Dabbe, Aaron Walker and Roy Driver arrived in White Hall Tuesday from overseas. All were in action in Belgium, the two former serving with Company G and the two latter with Company F, 119th infantry, 30th division. Their division was the first American force to arrive in Belgium, the 27th division, composed of New York National Guard troops, being the only other American unit in Belgium. They have been absent eleven months.

Aaron Walker is a brother of Amos Walker, who lost his life in the service, and who was memorialized in the recent tree planting at White Hall. The brothers served in the same battalion, and Amos received wounds of a nature that disabled him from operating his gas mask properly, resulting in his death from gas.

Five members of the 30th division were awarded the distinguished service cross, and Daniels is one of them. He is credited with having gone over the top eleven times without a scratch. He was cited for meritorious service by command of Major General Lewis in the following language: "During the operations near Ribemont, October 18, 1918, this soldier showed exceptional bravery and devotion to duty when, during a temporary holdup of our line by a heavy enemy machine gun fire, and an enemy sniper who was causing a number of casualties on one of our exposed flanks which was unable to cover, this soldier voluntarily went forward a distance of about 150 yards in advance of our front line, with his Lewis gun knocked out a machine gun post by killing its occupants, and also killed the enemy sniper, thereby saving the lives of many of his comrades. His conduct was a courageous and inspiring example to his comrades and is worthy of the utmost praise."

White Hall Notes.

During an electrical storm Monday morning, lightning struck the barn of Mrs. Lester White Hall, and the structure and a quantity of hay and corn were destroyed, entailing a loss of about \$1,500. A concrete silo stood near by, and the heat probably ruined the silage therein contained, as the silo is said to have been rendered red hot.

Mrs. H. A. McCauley, of Chicago, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McCauley, at the Stocks hotel. The two mesdames McCauley spent a day or so at Winchester, their former home.

J. A. McIver was down from Roodhouse Monday on business pertaining to the new ice plant that is to supply the C. & A. refrigerator demands at Roodhouse as soon as it can be put in service. Work is to be started at once, and it is expected to have it in operation by July 1st. It will have a daily capacity of 100,000 pounds, of which thirty tons is to be made from clarified water for local domestic use. The plant is to be operated by electricity.

Huggins Funeral Held.
The remains of William Hal Huggins were buried Tuesday in the Highstreet cemetery, five miles southwest of White Hall, with short services in the Highstreet church by Elder Francis Fowler of White Hall. His age was a little more than 48 years. Last October he went to Cheyenne, Wyoming, and there met death on the 10th inst, by being run over by a train. The remains were brought back for burial, arriving Monday, and they were held in the Fox undertaking

rooms at White Hall until the funeral hour. He is a cousin of the Campbells of the Highstreet neighborhood. He was the son of William Huggins, now an inmate of the Quincey soldiers' home. He spent practically his entire life in this vicinity, including eight years working in the implement business at Manchester and then one year at Jacksonville before going to Cheyenne.

While making a professional call this morning Dr. E. J. Peek discovered that his medicine case had been pilfered, and he returned to his office for investigation, which disclosed that his consultation and medicine rooms had been entered during the night, probably while he was at supper last evening, and all the narcotics from the case and medicine cabinet are included in the articles missing.

There will be no contest for president and two members of the board of education at the election to be held Saturday. Dr. L. O. Frech will retire as a member, and Dr. A. C. Rich will succeed him. Louis Lowenstein will succeed himself as president and J. C. Spencer as member.

The churches are preparing for the observance of Easter next Sunday. The methodists will have a special musical program in connection with the morning service, and the Presbyterians will have exercises during the Sunday school hour, followed by suitable services at the regular hours. A cantata will be presented by the Christian church at night, for which preparations have been in progress for several weeks. The pulpit of the First Baptist church will be occupied by Rev. Wallace, who has been engaged in Y. M. C. A. work in France, and is now at Brighton. Rev. Wallace is under consideration for a call to the pastorate.

C. J. Weis, who retired as city clerk with the organization of the new city council, has held the office a little more than a year, and is the fourth incumbent in that office during the past term of two years. He will be succeeded by Lieut. Charles Wenken at the next regular meeting on the first Tuesday in May. Mr. Weis is a business man of more than average carefulness in his business transactions, but declares that one contracts habits of carelessness thru contact with the methods of conducting the business of the city of White Hall that makes him a strong advocate of a change in the system. He says that as far as his observation goes all cities of this class are alike in this respect, and that unless some one man is assigned the duty of devoting his time to the business of the city there will continue to be looseness that is quite costly to the taxpayers. In the time that Mr. Weis has served as city clerk, performed largely through a willingness to do a share of the work of city government and not for the salary paid, he has saved the city over five hundred dollars in detecting overcharges and duplicate bills. With a man constantly on the alert, it is evident that an adequate salary can well be paid. The salary of the city clerk is \$200 per year and that of mayor \$100 per year. An effort was made to rectify this situation in the campaign just closed along entirely new lines, but the campaign became exclusively a personal one in

which proposition for the betterment of the methods of city government were largely lost sight of.

Big assortment of Easter plants and cut flowers at SMITH'S.

MRS. SMITH SUFFERS

BROKEN COLLAR BONE
Mrs. Emma G. Smith of the Mound road recently suffered a broken collar bone and some other injuries when a car ran into the storm buggy in which she was driving. Mrs. Smith was thrown out and sustained the injuries mentioned.

Mr. Smith is a member of the A. H. T. A. and if the guilty party wants to save prosecution they had better come and settle with Mrs. Smith as it has been placed in the hands of the A. H. T. A.
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Earl Luckeman has taken the agency for well known Dort car. Bell phone 907.4.

HOME FROM OVERSEAS.

Mrs. J. W. Kenus of Alexander received a telegram Wednesday from her husband stating that he has arrived in New York from overseas. He is with the 362nd infantry 91st division. He entered the service Feb. 25th 1918.

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Disc Harrow	40.50	14-Tooth Cultivator	7.50
Spike Tooth Harrows	16.15	Lawn Mower	9.50
Walking Cultivator	22.80	1½ H. P. Gas Engine	42.75
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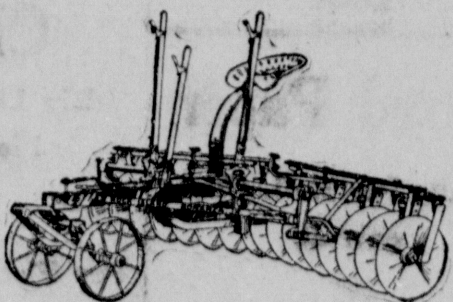
for the price of two. You purchase any two articles at an equal price—we give you your choice of a third one of equal value, at our Triangle Sale Today and Saturday, April 18th and 19th.

at the Obermeyer Drug Store

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BIRTHDAY SURPRISE FOR BLUFFS RESIDENT

Mrs. Eugene Carpenter Surprised
By a Number of Friends Monday
—Mildred Seeman Suffers
Broken Arm — Other News
Notes.

Bluffs, April 17.—Mrs. Eugene Carpenter was pleasantly surprised at her home Monday afternoon when a number of her relatives gathered there with well-filled baskets of lunch and prepared a splendid supper in honor of her birthday. The event was greatly enjoyed by those present who wished her many more happy birthdays.

Mildred Seeman, 10 years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Seeman had the misfortune to fall Tuesday morning at school breaking her right arm above the elbow. Dr. C. A. Evans was hastily summoned who treated her injuries and took her to her home.

Miss Euleta Shaw and brother Milburn spent Friday until Monday with relatives in Moberly, Mo.

Mrs. Anna Arundel has returned from Springfield where she spent several days with relatives.

Fred Weiss spent today in Jacksonville. He expects to leave Bluffs Monday where he will enter the employ of the Kaiser store at Alexander.

The town board has ordered all poultry raisers to keep their poultry up and off of people's gardens. This is a move in the right direction, but why not eliminate the dog nuisance as well? Chickens are to be kept up while the neighbors' dogs are allowed to run rampant day and night by the dozens, destroying, tramping out and contaminating the vegetables. Those who indulge in the luxury of a dog, be it worth less or otherwise, should be compelled to keep it on their own premises.

The village election Tuesday passed off quietly with but one ticket in the field. A good board has been elected, with E. D. Reid for president.

CABBAGE PLANTS
"Early Wayfield," 15c per bunch, at SMITH'S.

AT TRINITY CHURCH.

Services will be held today at Trinity, the Passion service 12 m., to 3 p. m. Trinity Episcopal church.

LYNNVILLE CIRCUIT.

Dr. J. R. Harker will speak at Lynnville at 11:30 a. m., Sunday (new time) on the Centenary Forward Movement. The service will be a very important one, and all members and friends of the church are urged to be present.

At Zion, Sunday school at 2:30 p. m., (new time) preaching at 3:30.

At Merritt, Sunday school at 10:30 a. m., (new time). Easter music will be sung. The annual Easter egg roll will be held at 8 p. m. (new time). Special music will be rendered and some 50 stereopticon views of the war wrecked churches of France and Belgium will be shown, with appropriate address by the pastor. Everyone is asked to bring one day's gathering of eggs, the proceeds to go to church benevolences.

F. C. Read, Pastor.

Beautiful EASTER Neckwear can be secured of FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

Fred Lippert was over to the city from Arenzville yesterday.

FIRE AT CAPPS FACTORY.

The fire department was called to the woolen mills and clothing factory of J. Capps & Sons at 11 o'clock Thursday morning.

In same way fire started by the master clutch operating the entire machinery of the woolen mills or a hot box in the weave room.

A most immediately the automatic sprinkling system started to work and employees of the firm also put two streams of water on the fire. When the department arrived the blaze was well under control and the sprinkler system and the two hose streams were shut off and the blaze extinguished with the chemical.

Herbert Capps who operated one of the fire trucks at the Moriarty fire jumped into an automobile when the alarms was given and went to the fire station and was in readiness to take the other truck to the fire in case it was needed. The damage will be small to the building though there is considerable to the stock.

John Becker and wife arrived in town from Elgin yesterday. Ora Holmes was down to the city from Prentice yesterday.

R. H. Constant of the firm of Constant & Groves was a city caller from Springfield yesterday.

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WHITE HALL GAMBLERS MAY START SOMETHING

Number of Citizens Arrested for Crap, Shooting, Threatened to Go to State's Attorney on Election Betting—News Notes

White Hall, April 17.—A canvass of the returns of Tuesday's city election was made by the city council Wednesday night, resulting in a change of mayor in the third ward in favor of H. W. Roodhouse by 22 votes, reducing Dr. McLaren's majority over Roodhouse to 49 out of a total of 1,164 votes. Roodhouse will not contest the election, accepting the verdict with congratulations and

good wishes for the new administration of Mayor-elect McLaren, who will take office on May 6 succeeding Robert C. Boehm, who has held the office four years.

A party of fellows who were arraigned before Justice Fowler Wednesday on the charge of shooting craps threaten to interest the state's attorney in the matter of local gambling, saying that the big betters on the results of Tuesday's election have not been molested, while they have to suffer the much smaller offense of crap shooting for small stakes, while the stakes posted at the city election ran into the hundreds of dollars.

A war tank was set out on the

C. and A. station Thursday morning for the purpose of replacing the exhibit tank that is to be here Friday on a special train in the interest of the Victory Loan. A splendid program has been arranged for Whiteside Park Friday afternoon with Capt. Dean Corsa as chairman.

The annual dinner and bazaar of the M. E. church was held Thursday.

Attorney W. L. Winn was in Delavan Wednesday for additional evidence in the park condemnation suit. The jury is expected to render its final verdict Friday. They visited the site Thursday. In conversation with Mrs. Seth N. Griswold, donor of the park, the reporter was made to feel that there is no foundation for the impression that the Griswolds have decided to make no further donations to the park. Mrs. Griswold told the reporter that she is anxious to have the matter settled and the park extended and improved in the most approved manner, showing that her interest has not abated in the least.

A large assortment of late style neckwear for Easter is shown by FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

COUNTY LINE

Mrs. Anna Riley and sons were trading in Murrayville Monday.

Mrs. Isiah Whitlock was a business caller in Jacksonville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ash and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Ash's father, Mr. Bolton and daughter Mable.

Little Ruby Strawmatt has been very sick since Sunday.

Clint Strawmatt and family spent Sunday with George Clayton and wife.

Robert Fanning and wife and two daughters Mary and Martha also G. W. Dobson and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strawmatt.

Bert Whitlock and wife were Jacksonville callers Saturday.

Jesse Covington and wife spent Tuesday with their daughter Mrs. Terry Kousney and attended the funeral of William Millian at Murrayville.

We are sorry to learn of the illness of Ewin Whitlock at Our Saviour's Hospital, and we hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lonergan traveled to Jacksonville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Bracewell and children and Mr. and Mrs. Con Lonergan were Jacksonville callers Saturday afternoon.

Road District No. 10 Poll Tax due June 1st. Must be paid to the clerk. All hedge brush on the highway must be burned. John Wilkinson,

W. A. Bodine of Mt. Vernon spent Thursday in the city on business.

ANNOUNCEMENT WAS LONG DELAYED

News of America's Abolishment of Restrictions Upon Movements of Enemy Aliens in U. S. Just Published in Germany—Behavior of American Soldiers Commended.

Berlin, March 18.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—Delayed announcement of America's action last December in abolishing restrictions upon movements of enemy aliens in the United States is published prominently in the morning papers. The delay is understood to be due to the fact that the German government has only been informed of the action.

While the news, according to a semi-official announcement, now is published to reassure relatives and friends of Germans in America, it undoubtedly is intended to contribute to the very general feeling among the German people that the United States is treating the conquered enemy as fairly and considerately as possible. It also is likely to increase the realization even among classes of which Count Reventlow is an exponent that Germany must rely upon the services of America as an advocate to obtain what she considers just and reasonable terms of peace and eventual restoration to a place in the family of nations.

Germans of all classes constantly comment upon the courteous and considerate behavior of officers and soldiers of the American army of occupation. Writing personal letters and communications from the American zone of occupation, they never fail to emphasize this. Though disappointed at the delay in sending food and the amount of it eventually granted, the American soldier or civilian in Germany everywhere is received as an honored guest. The hatred and abuse which was vented upon Americans before America's entry into the war has been replaced by an almost officious, super-friendliness.

The correspondent of the Tageblatt who has just visited Coblenz and the American zone comments on the "rigorous discipline" imposed upon American officers and soldiers to obviate the possibility of annoyance to women and to the civil population and upon absence of chauvinism, theatrical displays of triumph or unnecessary interference with the German civil authorities.

The correspondent's chief criticism of the Americans is based upon the strictness with which orders are enforced against the exchange of gifts, food or cigarettes between Americans and Germans. He says that 23 of the 66 sentences imposed upon Germans by the American court in Coblenz in January were for "unauthorized possession of American property" arising from the

enforcement of this order. He tells of the case of one American officer who was cashiered "merely for putting his arm around a waitress in a cafe."

A CONTINENT WIDE CROW HUNT PLANNED

Medicine Hat, Alberta, April 8.—Canadian sportsmen and farmers have agreed to co-operate with their American neighbors in conducting a continent-wide crow hunt this spring and summer. The birds will be slaughtered in the eastern provinces, while the drive is on through the American and Canadian northwest.

The "crow shoot" idea, conceived by citizens of Canton, South Dakota, proved popular and quickly spread to other states and to Canadian provinces.

Strasbourg, France.—Former Emperor William's chateau Hoh-Koenigsburg in Alsace has been taken over by the French authorities. It is recalled that the city of Schlettstadt was forced to give up this medieval castle to William II who restored it at a cost of \$1,750,000 and then made the people of Alsace-Lorraine foot the bill.

One of the Best Farms, on Mauvaisterre Creek, for Sale.

307 acres, all in cultivation with exception of lots around buildings.

Improvements consist of two sets, large, in good repair, plenty ample for a farm of this size. One house is 2-story frame, 10 rooms, with large barn, corn crib, grainery, machine building, poultry houses and hog and cow sheds. The other is a splendid 2-story house, six rooms, good barn and other buildings; plenty of good water, cellars, orchards—in fact, a fine and well improved farm.

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—The extensive waist-seam exhibit comprises several interesting variations: Single and double breasted models; welt-seam backs; patch, vertical, straight or slanting pockets; peak or notch lapels. The newest and best weaves—soft unfinished worsteds, flannels and others—in patterns and color tones that will win your admiration.



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Commencing Tomorrow, April 19th, at 8:30 A. M.--Lasting Seven Days

I have this day bought at auction the entire \$5,000 stock of merchandise, formerly owned by J. A. Obermeyer & Son, consisting of Ink, Office Supplies, Sporting Goods, Bibles, Drawing Supplies, Ink Stands, Candle Sticks, Vases, Books (all kinds), Flash Lights, Letter Files, Post Cards, Framed and Unframed Pictures, Flags, Chalk, Floor Brushes and many more items. This stock absolutely must be closed out in seven days at prices that were never heard of before.

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WITH THE COLORS

A LETTER FROM FRANCE

James B. Smith, Co. C, 323d Signal Bn., A. E. F., writes from Montague, France, and the Journal is kindly permitted to make some extracts.

This is a very pretty place, near Bordeaux, in the southern part of France. The place is on a hill and several towns can be seen in different directions. We have taken most all of them in hiking. The roads are fine, like all French highways.

The nearest large place is Libourne, about seven and a quarter miles away and is a very nice looking place. We had a big review before General Pershing at that place about three weeks ago and I was glad to get a good view of the general.

I had also the pleasure of seeing Rev. W. E. Spoonts of Jacksonville a short time ago. He gave us a fine talk and made a great hit with the boys.

We are not working hard now but are anxious to get home; for though I have seen many fine things my home is more to me than all else. We have some very fine shows at the Y. M. C. A. and you would be surprised at the fine talent that is with the A. E. F.

At a good show last night there was a cabaret singer from New York and say he could sing and the whole thing was good. The Whiskers played here last week and had a minstrel that would make Al Field go some to beat them. We have a dance every Friday and have some crowd. The French girls like the American way of dancing and the music too, but we murder the music on the rough floor with our hobnailed shoes.

I have been overseas five months and when you see a fellow with service stripes on it means six months in hell for every one he has on. The beer here is not as good as at home but they sure have some fine wines and we have some times.

When I left camp in the States I had a pleasant trip thru Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, North and South Carolina, Virginia, Washington, D. C., Wilmington, Del., Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and New York. Had a chance to see many things in various cities.

We had 15 days in New York

and I surely took in the place. We left Oct. 6th and landed in Liverpool, went to Winchester, sailed from Southampton, arrived at Cherbourg in France and finally stopped at Valle, a small place near Nantes and after a month went to Cour-Cheverry, in the central part of France. I was transferred six weeks ago to my present position. I have seen something of Europe but my advice is always to see America first. France is nothing like the pictures we get of it at home.

All of the buildings here are of stone, the only wooden ones being built by the A. E. F. Most of the French buildings have stood for centuries and are covered with moss. About a tenth of the houses have strong rock walls about them looking as if they were preparing for war. The churches are fine and costly and no matter how small a place is there is a church and several cafes.

The French only use water for washing and some I think seldom use it for that. The villages are close together; a half hour's walk will bring you to one. The roads are of stone and very good.

This is called "Sunny France" but it rains a good part of the time. As the sun goes down one sees all the shutters close on the wine rooms or cafes the villages would be in darkness. Grape growing is the main thing here and they use the brush from the trimmed vines for fuel. Imagine looking out and seeing little but grapes growing and you have a picture of this part of France.

It is no wonder America has had to feed them. People wear wooden shoes and drive ox carts and the most you see is oxen hauling one or more barrels on a slowly moving two wheeled affair. The people are very friendly and seem to thing a lot of our money and we get stuck every time we buy anything. The French have found an American will pay almost any price for what he wants but if we happen in a place where Americans have not been we get our money's worth.

There are almost as many Americans as French here and all have one thought, to get home.

I am in the best of health and have suffered but little from my trip. Would give anything now to get back to God's country again, the land of free and plenty. I want to cross the ocean once more and that is homeward from France.

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EXETER.

Herbert Leih is visiting at the home of John Gilliland.

Miss Oskell Beckman spent Sunday at her home here.

Miss Ruth Rowe spent a few days recently with her sister Mrs. Ray Woods.

William Taylor was a Bluff's visitor one day this week.

Miss Helen Sappington spent Sunday with Miss Eunice Collison.

John Collison, wife and daughter Katherine and Miss Margaret Dickens spent Sunday with Ralph Collison and family.

Miss Eunice Collison spent Sunday at her home here.

Miss Juanita Teles is on the sick list at the present time.

EXHIBIT OF RELICS
AT CONCORD BAZAAR

An interesting exhibit is being arranged in connection with the bazaar and baked chicken supper to be given by the Concord M. P. Church tomorrow afternoon and evening. It is a collection of relics over half a century old, and already a number of persons have promised to furnish articles for the exhibit. The bazaar and supper will be held in the room which is soon to be occupied by the Nickel & Gray garage in Concord. No charge will be made for admission, and it is hoped that a large number will view the exhibit, patronize the bazaar and enjoy the excellent menu which the Concord women are sure to furnish for the occasion.

PRIVATE JESSE NUNN
ARRIVES IN BOSTON

Mrs. Albert Mayes of Naples has received the information that her brother, Jesse Nunn, has arrived in Boston from overseas service. Private Nunn left with a large contingent of men from Morgan county on August 1 going to Camp Taylor, Ky., where he remained until Oct. 22. He was then transferred to Camp Merritt, N. J., and sailed shortly afterward for England, landing on Nov. 10. He went to France as member of the 101st company Field Artillery, 26th division, (the New England National Guard). He sailed from Brest on March 31 on board the Transport Mongolia, landing in Boston April 10.

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And such beauties as they are—Dressy Ones—Tailored Ones—Many with long ribbon streamers. Today and Sat. **\$1.48**

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